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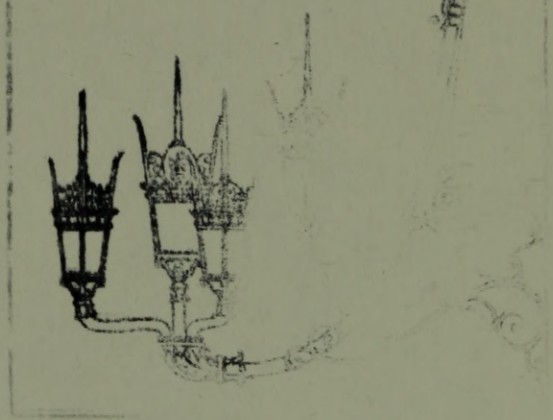

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Dorothy M. Ward

INTRODUCTION

As a young teenage lad, the author listened as his grandfather mentioned that he was unable to find his forefather who came over to the colonies. He heard that they came from Holland.

Years later while visiting in Maine with cousins, we mentioned my problem. After several visits, I was directed to Ellery Ward at Steep Falls. He was a real student of the family history and spoke Wards faster than one could grasp. *Eureka*. Now the search is over! But not so fast! There were plenty of Wards on passenger lists; numerous Wards of note. Search moved from Plymouth to Cape Cod, Isles of Shoals to Martha's Vineyard to the Cape; Barbados to Virginia, Hingham, Hull and Sandwich to the Cape, New York, Boston to the Cape, New Hampshire, Connecticut, Rhode Island to Martha's Vineyard, New Jersey, Connecticut with no success in finding the progenitor of our family.

One purpose of this study was to find the ancestors of George and Rebecca (Newcomb) Ward and trace their descendants to Maine establishing as many descendants as possible. Success has been hampered by disastrous fires at court houses which destroyed valuable vital records at Barnstable, MA.

Then emphasis moved to Wards who removed from Eastham to Maine, especially the Gorham area. There the families flourished clearing and farming the land. Many remained on the same land and descendants may be found there enjoying the gorgeous Sebago Lake that the Indians used as a recreational stop over from the land to the coast- fishing and camping.

Many other Wards removed on to other parts of this vast land, to Thorndike, ME; China, ME; Madison, NH and have corresponded with the author. The Hingham and Hull, MA Wards connection is yet to be proved. The family has proved to be hard working, reliable and honest people. Most have remained farmers, some have moved away to other occupations. Some lifestyles and politics is discussed to make reading more interesting, but presidents, even these discussions are prohibited by lack of space. Also the plantagenet - blood line of the royal family - is left for future studies and genealogists.

The reader is urged to look at the appendices for Civil War histories, lists of Ward families pensions, other Ward families not related to our branches.

There were numerous branches of Ward families who removed to New England and to many areas in the American Colonies. To identify the George Ward of whom this study is interested has been difficult. He has not been traced to the more noted Wards families such as William Ward of Sudbury, Gen. Artemis Ward, Samuel Ward, Miles Ward, of Salem; Naval Commander James Harmon Ward, one of the founders of the Naval Academy, and numerous

others. These Wards, although no connection has been made to our George Ward, are discussed briefly in appendix L.

The second goal of this study was to trace this family to Gorham, ME and to locate as many descendants as possible. This soon expanded to include Thorndike, China, ME and Madison, NH. One must try a work like this in order to imagine the excitement when a third or fourth cousin is corresponded or talked with!

We trust that genealogists will find this work helpful and interesting. And that our research and writing will help our related families find their roots in this world of Wards who were from Cape Cod and Maine. Read on - enjoy!

Abbreviations

anc. = ancestor
app. = appendix
b. = born
bp. = baptized
bro. = brother
bur. = buried
ca. = (circa) about
cem. = cemetery
ch. = child, children
chur. = church
co. = county
C.S.A.=Confederate States of America
dau. = daughter
desc. = descendant
d.y. = died young
div. = divorced
do = ditto
d.s.p. = no issue - no children
fam. = family
fl. = flourished, lived
g.s. = gravestone
J.P. = Justice of the Peace
m. = married
ME VR = Vital Records held by Maine
ptg. = printing
State Library and Archives, Augusta,ME.
N.A. National Archives
obit. = obituary, death notice published in a newspaper
poss. = possibly
rem. = removed
res. = resided, lived
VR. = vital record
vol. = volumed

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CHAPTER 1

Before Cape Cod - Conditions at the Early New England Colonies - Expansionism from Plymouth to the Cape

Queen Elizabeth died in 1603 being succeeded by James I of Scotland. At that time the religious classes in England were:

1. Catholic.
2. Members of the English Church.
3. Members of the English Church, who were reformers, were hard, rigid, and stern individuals. Ceremonies were formal and too close to Rome. Their discussion was the form of worship, service, government, not the fundamentals of religion. These were the PURITANS. They opposed as unscriptural the traditional and formal usage of the Church of England. They desired a more rigorous and purer moral code.
4. Brownists (Separatists). They proposed to organize a separate church and to break away entirely from any semblance of the Roman Church. Robert Brown said: "State had no right to regulate the religion of the subject". Some moved to Holland but feared they would lose their identity so they returned to England. These were the PILGRIMS. Pilgrims journeyed to alien lands. They were the English colonists who founded the first permanent settlement at Plymouth in 1620.

The New England Confederacy was formed in 1643 with a population of about 20,000. At that time four colonies formed The Confederacy, the Massachusetts Bay Colony , Plymouth Colony, Connecticut Colony and New Haven Colony. The Town of Plymouth was soon reduced to 150 persons as colonists moved to areas of more fertile soil and greater trade. Nauset, an Indian name, was incorporated in 1646. The name was changed to Eastham by The Court of Plymouth in 1651. Eastham was considered too remote and could not receive the whole body of the church, so was not considered a colony. Previously, Hingham was established as a town in 1635 and Hull in 1644. Providence and Rhode Island were included as centers. The United Colonies of New England were formed to protect the settlers against the Indians.[1]

Eastham, Sandwich, Yarmouth and Barnstable were the four towns settled on Cape Cod, which were located across the bay from Plymouth so they could "worship God and make money."[2] It had plenty of lumber, fish, forest game and rich soil that impressed such as JOHN DOANE, one of the original planters. They started gardens planting beans, corn and onions. When the soil became

impoverished, they planted asparagus and turnips which grew well in sandy soil enabling them to become popular truck farmers.

The men of the town helped each other in the fields and in building homes. Registered, ear-marked cattle allowed them to have common pastures. Windmills were built to pump water, and the children were taught labor and thrift. The women were busy also. They did the spinning, weaving; made the clothes, soap, candles and made the rugs and curtains. They also cooked the meals in iron kettles.

An effort was made in England to amass information of farm practices and products both in England and abroad. There was hope that this would help systemize information in order that there would be a general advancement of England's farming. Prepared lists of questions were given to travelers to be answered and returned to England. Questions were addressed to John Winthrop, Jr., of Connecticut, on Indian corn, for instance.

This idea had little effect on the New England farmer who had no time for experimentation. He could spend that time clearing another acre or two for the future. The New England farmer did, however, heed when his winter seed could not withstand cold, the farmers turned to spring wheat which the theoreticians advocated. The winter hay badly nourished the cattle so New English grasses and clover were introduced to improve hay quality.

The average Plymouth farmer, without servants, could cultivate at most about 25 acres. Many farms were 30 to 35 acres with limitless expansion possibilities. New lands were held for speculation or as inheritance for the sons, or to create new towns. So why experiment for the English? The farmer abandoned the English practices of the fallow, cross-plowing and gleaning. There were other ways to wealth such as land, cattle, orchards that supplied food for the table. Grain and cattle paid for items they could not produce for themselves.

The Search

The first area to search for the Ward progenitor was at the Plymouth Colony. As the population of the colony expanded, land for lodging and crops became scarce while Cape Cod provided a nearby area to settle and further divide the Indian villages by settling in the middle of the cape around Eastham. THOMAS WARD came to New England prior to 1640. His name appears on a list of over forty "merchant adventurers" who formed a company 25 November 1626 and made an agreement with the Pilgrims to supply the plantation with goods. These adventurers were gentlemen, merchants, handicraftsmen, some with good sums, others with small sums mostly residing in London. Their "aim was to do good and plant religion."

The name of NATHAN WARD provided another possibility at Plymouth to look for our progenitor. His name appears on a list as a private in one of two military companies formed in 1711 for the defense of the Town of Plympton. This date would appear to be too late since we note that our George married at Eastham in 1711, as was ENOCH WARD, of Littleton who was a teacher at the central school in 1741. So no early Wards at Plymouth can be proved to be the progenitor of our George Ward.[2a]

A traveler, EDWARD WARD, wrote that "One Husband-man in England, will do more Labor in a Day, then a New-England Planter will be at pains to do in a Week."[3]

Shipbuilding was one of the earliest industries at Eastham. Whale fishing was popular until 1760 when the whales disappeared. The whale blubber furnished very fine oil used in manufacture of fine instruments. Merchant service from Boston to the coastal ports and West Indies carrying, cargo such as tobacco, molasses, salt, lead, cotton, coffee, nutmeg and tin was prominent.

The General Court of Massachusetts decreed that each town should determine whether it desired to be independent of Great Britain. The Annals of Wellfleet record that the town "Voted, That if the Honorable Continental Congress shall think proper for the safety of the good people of the united colonies, to declare said colonies independent, WE, the inhabitants of the town of Wellfleet, WILL support them with our lives and fortunes."[4]

The mid 1600's provided no luxurious trip across the stormy North Atlantic. The *Arabella,* a ship acquired at the suggestion of Reverend Francis Higginson as a business proposition, was purchased by a party of emigrants to the colonies and then sold. This ship left the Scilly Isles off England in a gale on 11 April and sailed through rain, fog, heavy storms, high winds, with little fair weather. They arrived at Salem, MA on 12 June after 2 long, hard months at sea. Later in the spring of 1629, 10 ships were chartered for service to transport those to the colonies who wanted to go. Few artificial lights were provided so that sundown was a signal to retire to bed. THOMAS WARD, of Dedham, England, was on the passenger list, and a juror 28 September 1630, has not proved to be of the George Ward family.[5] There are several George Wards who were born or christened in England about 1685, the possible date our George may have been born.

A theory, unproved, remains of interest that George Ward of Wellfleet was descended from Samuel and Remember (Allerton) Ward, Samuel having been born at Hingham, MA, and Remember Allerton of Mayflower fame. This is discussed further in [Appendix L]. Still Clemens lists 15 marriages of Wards before 1699 that fail to give a clue to George Ward's parents.[6]

Further efforts to connect George Ward with the Salem and Charleston Wards have been unfruitful.[7] Neither does Sidney Perley list a George Ward early enough in Salem to connect with George Ward.[7]

John Ward and Miles Ward of Salem do not appear to be related to our family[7] since marriages and deaths of records at Marblehead reveal no clues[8] to their relationship.

Did George Ward's family come from Boston? Boston records do not reveal whether they did. No connection to the Benjamin Ward there has been proved. Benjamin Ward owned a house and about an acre on lot 103 as marked on map G, taxed at six pence per acre. He had access to the wharf and bought one eighth part of the marsh adjacent to his property, paying three pounds per annum for his portion of the marsh. He also, with other owners, was allowed by the "Towne of Boston" to build a highway over the marsh to the bridge.[9] A George and Lawrence Ward joined John Davenport and Theophilus Eaton in the United Netherlands to go to Connecticut by the way of Boston in 1637 and 1638 on the ship *Hector.* But these Wards arrived in the colonies too early to connect them with George Ward of Eastham. Whether either was parent or grandparent has not been proved.[10] Description of this group's dissatisfaction with religious life in England and Holland is described by Calder.[10]

Our search for the ancestor of George Ward moved to "Plinth Colony" believing that many settlers from Plymouth colony removed to the Cape to provide room for expansion. The most promising record was the will of John Ward dated 3 August 1720 at Plymouth and witnessed by Isaac Winslow, judge of the Probate of Wills in the County of Plymouth. This will stated that Jethro, Ward's negro slave, was to be given his freedom immediately after John Ward's death.[11]

Another possibility for George Ward's earlier home could have been on one of the "Isles of Shoals" islands not too far from Kittery and Portsmouth, NH where Rebecca Newcomb's parents may have lived before removing to Edgartown, Island of Martha's Vineyard, Dukes County, MA.[12] To raise a question further of George Ward's parents, Charles Edward Banks, M.D. lists John Ward at Martha's Vineyard possibly being son of Joseph and Sarah (Weeden) Ward of Rhode Island who was born 1 December 1727. While this John Ward came later than our George Ward, it may raise a question whether our family could have come from Rhode Island.[13]

Also among the numerous possibilities of the progenitor Ward's arrival in the colonies might be Sandwich, MA which was a hub of shipping, trading and settling from Plymouth. No arrival of Wards there has been proven as arriving at Sandwich from Leyden. There were 40 from Holland listed on the May-flower. The last Leyden group is said to have arrived in 1630. There is no mention of Wards at Sandwich between 1637 and 1640. Servants, apprentices

for indenture, Quakers and transients visited the village, but again no Wards were mentioned. Whales washed ashore here, as they did at Eastham, and their blubber was cut and boiled down in caldrons then put up in casts. The finders kept their shares and the remainder of the whale oil went to the town to pay for expenses such as buying powder and paying the minister. The search for whales continued until after the Civil War when kerosene became common and had extended along the eastern coasts of North and South America.[2b]

Masters of ships bound for New England were ordered to certify the names of their passengers upon their return to the homeland. Those passengers who refused to take the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance to the crown were to be forbidden passage.

It was believed that those intending to go the new land were debtors or persons disaffected with the established church. For instance, Mr. Ward, of Ipswich, preached against the Book of Common Prayer "thus causing his giddiness and desire to go to New England." Five thousand bushels of corn were sent to New England from Virginia since that crop was plentiful with corn and cattle in Virginia. This suggests that the winter was hard in New England and food was scarce.[14]

The colonists at Plymouth soon found that the soil was unfertile for farming. With new settlers arriving, the area at Plymouth was becoming too small for uncrowded living. It was time to expand. The location explored was Nauset (the Indian name for present day Eastham). So the "seven planters" moved in 1644 to this area because of the good soil, trees and much better living conditions. No Wards were listed among these early planters. Others joined the original group from Plymouth and from older settlements on the Cape.

Prior to 1684 George Ward was among the next group of about twenty seven settlers settled around the town.[15] Two years later the town was incorporated so it could be represented in the General Counsel. Neither were Wards listed about twenty years later in 1675.

It appears, then, that George Ward, or his parents with him, were at Eastham during the twenty five-year period of 1675 and 1700 and if they arrived before 1695, they had not taken their oath as a freeman - such oath meaning the person must belong to the church and have an estate worth 20 pounds. Pratt wrote that George was the first of his name and settled in the northern part of Eastham.[15]

This area abounded in timber, fishing and games. Soon it flourished with frame houses replacing the original crude dwellings. The Pilgrims, having learned windmilling in Holland, established windmills for grinding corn. Whale fishing, shipbuilding, and salt works became the industries of the cape.

In 1733, men who served in King Philip's War under Capt. John Gorham of Yarmouth were paid in land. Such land became known as Gorham, ME.

John and David Doane, and later Joseph Doane, became grantees of Gorham land. Some grantees sold their land so it is probable that John and Joseph Ward, who are found at Gorham in 1790, purchased or received some of this grantee land.[16]

The early colonists at Cape Cod found food such as potatoes was scarce. Three or four bushels of potatoes, no larger than hen's eggs were considered a large crop. A family had less than a barrel of flour. The farmer would break up new ground, plant it with wheat and turnips, then the wheat was sieved for flour. There were no plows in the early days. Before grist mills the corn was pounded with a wooden or stone pestle in a large hollowed mortar. Common address for men and women was "Goodman" and "Goodwife" except more respectable families were complimented with "Master" and "Mistress." Everybody went to meeting on the Sabbath regardless of the distances they had to travel. It was not considered a hardship by the young women to walk five or six miles to meeting. A man and woman might ride together on a horse, perhaps a boy riding in front of the man and an infant in the lap of the woman. The sexton of the church would keep the hour glass on the minister's sermon. If the minister's sermon was too short, or too long, this was a sufficient cause for complaint.[17]

Discipline to church members was strict by denying them communion or reprimanding them when they missed communion. People were called before the committee to explain reasons they missed communion, even if the member might be dissatisfied with the pastor. Or one may be suspended from communion until he gave "Christian Satisfaction" to his church.[18]

The Massachusetts General Court designated that a corn was to be used to manifest election of counsellors, and bean to contrary. Should more than one corn or one bean be used in voting by one person, a heavy penalty was imposed.[19]

The new colonists found life very difficult with the cold, hard winters and hardly sufficient food to sustain life. Whenever the George Ward ancestors arrived here, they were witnesses to this harsh life.

The area suffered many difficulties with growth. All out war with the Indians in the 1670's on the upper cape, and later the French and Indian War, cost the settlers heavily in money and manpower. Quarrels included whether to include Plymouth in the Massachusetts Bay Colony. Disagreements on taxation, maintenance of ministers and school teachers, and the separation of parishes continued. They needed to raise money to support the poor in town. There was agreement, however, on building a road from Truro to Harwich.[20]

Vital records of numerous towns, counties and states have been examined for clues of our progenitor Ward family. Many secondary records have been searched - all with negative results. Family lore keeps coming back to the

forefront in two statements: "they were separatists" and "they came from Holland."

The Ward progenitor of our family may have been among those who were smuggled out of the Scrooby area and Hull England by an English captain who betrayed and imprisoned them in Boston. A Dutch captain got the men out. The women were freed at a later time. The separatists wanted to separate themselves and not unite with the English church being protestant Calvinists, non-conformists, and hoped to escape persecution by leaving England as much as the English wanted them out.

These separatists knew no Dutch language nor customs in a too-populated Amsterdam and disagreed with the Dutch Reform Church. So on 1 May 1609, about a hundred including William Brewster and William Bradford went to Leyden, known for its clothing industry and university. Still the unsatisfactory Dutch customs such as going to the tavern on Sunday were not strict enough teachings. They had lived in Amsterdam only 7 months, when they moved to Leyden and stayed 11 years.

They arrived in 1609 during a 12-year truce between Britain and Spain and the Seven United Netherlands after 40 years of war. War started again in 1621 known as the 30 Years War.[21] With assistance from the London Company, the 60-ton ship Speedwell was purchased and took thirty to forty back on the one-day trip to Southhampton 1 August 1620 while several hundred remained in Leyden to integrate into Dutch customs.[21] Robert Brown's Separatists adopted the Confession of Faith and believed their life on earth was a pilgrimage towards heavenly bliss as influenced by Calvinists, Lutherans, and other denominations.

Probably le Ward, de Ward or the George Ward of our knowledge, his father, or grandfather by that or another given name came over on a later voyage from Leyden as a youngster or young man, and perhaps indentured, with no record of his passage entered on the ship's log. Names of Henry Ward and John Wardd are listed by Jensen.[22] The earliest Ward may have come ashore at Sandwich, MA at the neck of Cape Cod. The early records of Sandwich are unavailable.

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CHAPTER 2

George and Rebecca (Newcomb) Ward at Eastham, MA

GEORGE[1] WARD was born probably about 1684. Whether he or his father removed from Plymouth as did others to alleviate crowding is not known. While many theories have prevailed about the date and place of his birth, and the names of his parents, no records have come to light to prove whether he was the progenitor of this particular Ward family. He is, however, treated as the first of the family in the colonies for purposes of this study.

Pratt wrote that there were some settlers at Eastham before 1670, including George Ward, the first of his name. He settled in the north part of town (Eastham, now Wellfleet) about 1700, although no Ward was listed in Eastham as a freeman in 1655 nor 1695.[1] There, George Ward raised his family which is said to have been very close and helpful to each other. Nothing is mentioned about former Ward residences. It would be logical to believe that they came from Plymouth, as did others, to alleviate crowding there. This assumption has yet to be proved.[2]

Records reveal he married 26 March 1711, REBECCA NEWCOMB, daughter of SIMEON (SIMON) and DEBORAH NEWCOMB. Rebecca was born at Truro, MA about 1688 and died at Wellfleet after 1729/30. She and George Ward were married by Nathan Freeman, Esq.[3]

George and Rebecca resided at Billingsgate, a village of Eastham. (For more about Rebecca Newcomb's family, see appendix A). George Ward was one of the petitioners along with Simon and Andrew Newcomb and others who on 12 June 1711 signed a petition of the inhabitants of Billingsgate requesting John Doane to appear before the governor to seek remedy for their difficulties.[4]

The records of Wellfleet show the people of the North Eastham Precinct on 13 March 1748/9 voted that the widow Sweat and George Ward, the present constable, be allowed 3 pence on the pound for collecting the town and precinct rate.[5] It is not certain which George Ward this constable might have been. It probably was the son, George[2], who was born in 1712.

In 1763, George Ward was an original settler in Wellfleet and was there when that town was incorporated. Joseph Ward was also in Wellfleet prior to 1800.[6]

George[1] Ward would have been probably over 75 years of age even if he were still alive at this time. No records have been discovered when he died or where he is buried. So it appears that George[2] Ward, born in 1712, who would have been 51 years old in 1763 is the one to whom reference is made as being

at Wellfleet when the town was incorporated in 1763, and he died thirteen years later in 1776.

Further, identifying the Joseph Ward mentioned by Deyo as residing at Wellfleet before 1800 is also something of a problem. Joseph[2] Ward, born in 1725, would have been 75 years old in 1800. He settled his brother George's estate in 1776 and served on the School Committee in 1778. Which Joseph Ward removed to Gorham, ME is discussed in the following chapter.

George and Rebecca Ward are also listed in The Mayflower Descendant, [3] "George Ward and Rebecca Newcome were married by Nathan Freeman, Esqu. the 26 day of March 1711."[7] The Genealogical Notes of Barnstable Co.[8] lists the George and Rebecca Ward family with documentation.

"George Ward the Son of George and Rebecca Ward was
Born at Eastham on the Second day of November 1712
Mary Ward the daughter of George and Rebecca Ward was
Born at Eastham on the Second day of July annodomini:
1715 anno-domini
Priscilla Ward the daughter of George and Rebecca Ward
was Born at Eastham on the twentyeighth day of
December annodom:1717
Joseph Ward Son of Georg and Rebecca Ward was born at
Eastham on the 8th day of october 1725
Elisabeth Ward daughter of Georg and Rebecca Ward was
born at Eastham on the 4th day of march 1729/03 *Sic."

Mayflower Descendant, vol. 15, p. 75, taken from Eastham VR:

Children of George[1] and Rebecca (Newcomb), surname Ward, (Orleans VR, p. 22):

i. GEORGE[2] (George[1]), b. at Eastham (Barnstable Co.) MA, Nov. 1712. Bapt. as an adult 22 Feb. 1729/30" (Truro,MA., Church Records," *Mayflower Descendant*, vol.9, p. 294), d. at Eastham, 31 Oct. 1776, ae. 64, bur. at Duck Creek Cem. B-3, Wellfleet g.s., (Frederick S. Rich, ed-in-chief, Wellfleet, Truro & Cape Cod Cemetery Inscriptions, Sect. 3 So. Wellfleet Cem. The Rich Family Assoc. owned by Sturgis Library, Barnstable, MA & Eastham Public Library); m. (1st) int. 30 Mar. 1751 by Mr. Edward Cheever, (OrleansVR , p. 164), BARZILLA, (BERSILLA, PRISCILLA, ZILLAH) DOANE, of S. Wellfleet, dau. of SAMUEL D. and MRS. THANKFUL HIGGINS ROBENS DOANE, b. 23 Dec. 1723, d. 26 May 1768 ae. 45 (The *Mayflower Descendant*, vol. 12, Wellfleet g.s., Rich Cem. Inscr.); George m. (2nd) MRS. MARY RICH, both of Wellfleet, 16 Dec. 1768 (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 523), b. ca. 1731, d. 30 Nov. 1773, in her 42nd yr., bur. at Duck Creek Cem., Wellfleet. (See ch. 3 for more on this family See ch. 3. on George, Jr. and app. C. on the Doane Family).

ii. MARY, b. 30 July 1715, bapt. as "adult," ae. 17, 17 Sept. 1732 (John Harvey Treat, Frederick S. Rich, ed.-in-chief, *Wellfleet, Truro & Cape Cod Vital Statistics*, sec. 2 Truro Baptisms 1711-1800 The Rich Family Assoc., p. TB 67, owned by Sturgis Library, Barnstable, MA); m. 23 Oct. 1735, JOSEPH

HATCH, JR., of Eastham. (Truro VR, recorded by Thomas Paine, town clerk). (George Ernest Bowman, "Vital Records of the Town of Truro, MA to the Year 1849." [Boston: *Society of Mayflower Descendants, 1933*], p.9).

iii. PRISCILLA, b. 28 Dec. 1717, bapt. ae. 15 as "adult" 17 Sept. 1732. (ibid).

iv. JOSEPH[2], b. 8 Oct. 1725 at Eastham, MA (Eastham VR, Marriage Int. 1716 1735); m. on 16 Oct. 1749, by Isaiah Lewis, (ibid) MARY TREAT, b. at Truro, MA, dau. of NATHANIEL[4] and MARY (LYON) TREAT, (Samuel[3] Robert[2], Richard[1]). Joseph was executor of his bro., George's estate. (See ch. 5 and app. B), The Treat Family.

v. ELIZABETH, b. 4 March 1729/30; m. 12 Dec. 1765, LEMUEL NEWCOMB, (Wellfleet VR).

Notes on Chapter 2

1. (Eastham VR, [Marriages], p. 343, and Bethuel Newcomb, *Newcomb Family*, p. 22). Alice A, Lowe, Comp., *Nauset on Cape Cod A History of Eastham*, 3rd ed., (Provincetown. MA: Shank Painter Printing Co., 1968), pp. 15, 18.
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4. Petition on file at The Massachusetts Archives at Boston, vol. 113, p. 606.
5. *The Mayflower Descendant*, vol. 11, 1906, p. 74: "The Records of Wellfleet Formerly The North Precinct of Eastham, Mass."
6. Simon L. Deyo, ed., *History of Barnstable Co., MA*, (New York: H.W. Blake & Co., 1890), pp. 723, 797. The British government decreed that the day following 2 September 1752 should be called 14 September 1752 when it adopted the Gregorian calendar. This was a "loss" of 11 days. The old style calendar was used prior to this date.
7. *The Mayflower Descendant*, ibid.
8. *The Genealogical Notes of Barnstable County*, 36:31-33, owned by the Sturgis Library at Barnstable. Registry fires occurred at Barnstable in 1823 and 22 October 1827, when 93 deed folios, 3 probate volumes, and civil, criminal court records and business records dating from 1685 were destroyed.

CHAPTER 3

George[2] and Priscilla (Doane) Ward at Eastham

George[2], son of George and Rebecca Ward, is probably the one who in 1763 built the Cape Cod house and resided there with his son George[3] in the Silver Spring area on Lieutenant Road in the part of Eastham that later became Wellfleet . George[1] and Benjamin[3] possibly could have resided in this house also. It still stands and is occupied in 1998. It appears they may have experimented in the silk business since an old mulberry tree stands on this property. This tree provides food for the silk worm which produces elastic, smooth silk that is two thirds as strong as iron wire of the same size. Dirt will not cling to silk. This would have been a very profitable business, as in China, but apparently proved unsuccessful on the Cape.

George[2] had a house right in Eastham. He had salt works in addition to the cranberry trees there. (See appendix A). There were 54 salt manufacturing plants at Eastham. They captured sea water and allowed it to settle in large iron kettles and the solar heat evaporated the water while leaving salt for sale and use.[1] George[2] was a constable, or selectman, in Eastham in 1748/9.[2] The harsh northeast storms pounded Truro, Eastham, and Wellfleet grounding and wrecking the ships off shore. (i.e. Ship Anne in 1623). Whales were also beached and then would belong to the town. George is believed to have been among those who engaged in cutting up these whales and later sailing out to sea after other whales. In modern times, sightseeing excursions to Cape Cod Bay enjoy seeing the great whales roaming the great North Atlantic. They view the Minke Whales, Right Whales, Humpback Whales and Finback Whales measuring as long as 70 feet and weighing 65 tons.

His will, dated 21 March 1775[3], names Joseph Ward, a brother, as executor. He died about a year later and the will was filed in 1826. The will reads as follows and is reprinted below to show how detailed he wanted his estate to be distributed to his family:

In the name of GOD amen the twenty first day of March 1775 of George Ward of the district of Wellfleet in the County of Barnstable Yeoman being sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God for the same and calling to mind the probability of my body and knowing that it is appointed to all men make and ordain this my last will and testament that is to say principally first of all I give and recommend it to ye earth to be unto the hand of God that give it and for my body to death to be buried in a Christian account at the disposition of my executor nothing doubting out at the General Resurrection I shall receive by the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give and devise and dispose to my wife & same in

manner and form following that is to say first after my just debts and financial charges are paid.
Item. I give to my youngest son George Ward a legacy of 3 lbs. six shillings and eight pence lawful money to be paid him out of my estate by my executor. I also give to my son George Ward my best suit of apparel and my ___ Bible and one cow which __choose___ and six sheep which he shall choose.
Item. I give to my son Benjamin Ward legacy of four pounds___to be paid him out of my estate by my executor.
Item. I give to my Daughter Lydia Ward a legacy of twenty four pounds lawful money to be paid out of my estate to her by my executor when she shall arrive at the age of twenty five years and the said legacy to be put out to interest for herself until she shall come to the age to receive it.
Item. I give to my daughter Zillah Ward a legacy of thirty three pounds six shillings & said to be paid to her out of my Estate by my executor when she shall come to the age of twenty four years and until then her money to be put out to interest for use.
Item. I also give my two Daughters Lydia Ward and Zillah Ward one third of my personal estate that is in my Dwelling House to be equally divided between them when my daughter Zillah arrives at the age of 18 years and I will that the above legacies be paid out of my estate before any division be made out of it by my executor and after the above legacies are taken out of my estate I give all of remaining part of my Estate to ___real and personal not given away and above__to my 3 sons namely Joseph Ward Benjamin Ward & George Ward to them their heirs and assignees forever to be equally divided to them when my youngest son George Ward shall arrive at the age of twenty one years, and I do also appoint, constitute & ordain my loving brother Joseph Ward of Wellfleet in said County of Barnstable my only & sole Executor of this my last will & testament and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke & disannul all other every other & former testaments wills & Legacies bequeaths & Executors by me and any wife before to me named with and bequested ratifying & confirming this another to be my last will & testament in witnesses whereof I have hereunto let my hand and seal this day and year above written.

Signed, sealed, published, pronounced
& declared by said George Ward
as his last will and testament
in presence of us subscribers
that is to say
George Ward ss
Saml Hillbs
Elisha Ward
Joseph Stubbs

To all people to whom these presents shall come James Otis Esquire Judge of the Probate of Wills, etc. in the County of Barnstable within the State of Massachusetts Bay in N England sendeth Greeting---------
Know ye, that on the fourth day of December Anno Dominis 1776 the instrument hereunto annexed (purporting the last Will and Testament of George Ward late of Wellfleet in said County Yeoman deceased) was presented for Probate by Joseph Ward of Wellfleet in said County Yeoman the Executor therein named; then present Samuel Stubbs one the of the witnesses thereto subscribed of the other witnesses being of one to___who made Oath that he had the said testator Sign seal and heard him declarer etc.

said instrument to be his last will and testament and that the witnesses Elisha Ward & Joseph Stubbs subscribed their names together as witnesses to said___thereof in said testators present; and that he was then to be best of his judgment of sound and disposing mind.

I do move Approve & Allow of said instruments and last Will and Testament of said beforenamed deceased and do Commit & said Administration thereof in all matters & same concerning and of this estate whereof he died____. Professed in ye County to ye Joseph Ward of Wellfleet before named executor will & faithfully execute said will and to Administer said estate of the said deceased according thereto; who accepted of his said ___ and to exhibit an Inventory of said estate according to law and he shall render an account (upon oath) of his proceedings when thereunto lawfully required.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal of office 11th day and year above written.
James Otis

Children of George[2] and Priscilla (Doane) surname Ward, (Wellfleet VR 1765-1782, [Births] 1:55):

i. JOSEPH[3] (George[2-1]) b. 23 Oct. 1753 (Eastham VR, Gen. Notes, *Mayflower Descendant,* vol. 25, p. 41), d ae. 49 in 1802; m. MARTHA SMITH of Eastham, int. 16 Sep. 1775, Joseph[3] just 3 yrs. younger than his cousin, John[3] who rem. to Gorham, may have been the Joseph who also went there for a time, and then rem. back to Eastham. While both men were very close in age it would appear that they may have had like ideas and would want to have adventure north together. (He would have been a cousin, not brother. See ch. 4, and Hugh D. McClellan, comp. and ed. by his dau. Katherine B. Lewis. *History of Gorham, ME*, [Portland: Smith & Sale, Printers, 1903], p. 793). Joseph was ae. 21 when his father's will was drawn and the remaining third of his estate was given to him, along with his bros. Benjamin and George. (See George[2] will above). Ch. (Wellfleet VR, [Births] 1:86) RUTH, b. 9 April 1780; JOSEPH, b. 7 Oct. 1782, d. 14 May 1862; THANKFUL, b. 21 Sept. 1784; BARNABUS, b. 3 Jan. 1787, (Joseph's birth not listed in VR).

ii. BENJAMIN[3], b. 3 April 1755 (*Mayflower Descendant,* vol. 25), d. 21 Jan. 1809 (Wellfleet VR, p. 568); m. at Wellfleet int. 14/24 March 1781 (Wellfleet VR), BETHIA SMITH, of Harwich, d. 14/24 March 1814 (Wellfleet VR, [Deaths], p. 1;231 and pp. 69, 239, and *Mayflower Descendant,* vol. 25, p. 41). As with his bros. Joseph and George, Benjamin, ae. 20, when his father's will was drawn, received one third of his father's remaining estate. (See ch. 4 for Ch.)

iii. GEORGE[3], b. at Eastham, MA, 18 June 1756. (Eastham VR, *Gen. Notes, Mayflower Descendant,* vol. 25, p. 41). He was ae. 19 when his father's will was drawn, recd. one third of remaining estate with his bros.

iv. LYDIA, b. 21 March 1760. (Orleans VR, p. 164); m.(1st) 8 May 1777, (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 531), at ae. 19, REUBEN AREY, settled his estate. Poss. postmaster apptd. 11 Nov. 1841.; m. (2nd) JOHN TAYLOR who claimed to have been a bodyguard to George Washington. Lydia had a tavern near the swamp. Bottles may still be found there. " Aunt Lydia" lived to be ca. 87, according to Polly Maganeau of Eastham, MA. [These children are listed

in the *Mayflower Descendant*, vol. 25, p. 41]. She was ae. 15 when her father's will was drawn. Her father's will left her 24 pounds with the money to be invested to interest for her use, and she with her sister, Zillar, received one third of his personal estate in the dwelling equally divided. (See will above).

v. ZILLAH (PRISCILLA), b. 17 July 1766, ca. 1768. Her father left her 33 pounds, 6 shillings, with earnings paid for her use and one third of his personal estate in dwelling.

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The Doane Rock

See Appendix C

Gerald Ward demonstrated the size of this huge rock from top

Notes for Chapter 3

1. Lowe, p. 35.
2. *Records of Wellfleet, MA.*
3. Barnstable Co. (Deed), vol. 17, p. 391.

CHAPTER 4

Benjamin[3] and Bethia (Smith) Ward

BENJAMIN[3], b. 3 April 1755 (*Mayflower Descendant,* vol. 25), d. 21 Jan. 1809 (Wellfleet VR, p. 568); m. at Wellfleet int. 14/24 March 1781 (Wellfleet VR), BETHIA SMITH, of Harwich, d. 14/24 March 1814 (Wellfleet VR, [Deaths], p. 1;231 and pp. 69, 239, and *Mayflower Descendant,* vol. 25, p. 41). As with his bros. Joseph and George, Benjamin, ae. 20, when his father's will was drawn, received one third of his father's remaining estate.

Children of Benjamin[3] and Bethia(h) (Smith), surname Ward (Wellfleet VR, [Births], 1:42):

1. i. GEORGE[4] (Benjamin[3], George[2-1]) Ward b. 3. March 1783, (Wellfleet VR, [Births], 1:86), d. 15 April 1836, ae. 53 yrs. (Wellfleet VR, [Deaths] 1:240, Wellfleet g.s. 69A Frederick Rich, *Cem. inscr.)*; m. (1st) prob. TABITHA GILL, b. ca. 1780, d. 3 March 1826, ae. 46 (Wellfleet g.s.); George m. 9 Sept. 1826 (2nd) MRS. MARY (STUBBS) WARD widow of his bro. Elkanah, and widow of THOMAS SMITH. (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 579). See below. Mary, d. 12 Aug. 1858, ae. 72 yrs. 11 mos. (Wellfleet g.s.). In his will made in 1827 (copied below), George listed himself as a house carpenter.

Children of George and Tabitha (Gill), surname Ward (Wellfleet VR, [Births], p. 93):

1. EBENEZER[5], b. 26 Oct. 1805, d. 21 Sept. 1808.
2. POLLY ATWOOD, b. 30 May 1807; m. (1st) JAMES STUBBS 30 Nov. 1834; m. (2nd) ISAAC BAKER.
3. GEORGE[5], b. 1 Nov. 1809, (Wellfleet VR, [Births], 1:44).
4. ISAIAH GILL, b. 4 Dec. 1811, d. 12 May 1880., ae. 69 yrs., 5 mos., 7 dys.; m. int. 1839, (1st) JERUSHA FREEMAN. Ch. HENRY F., b. ca. 1841, d. 14 April 1859. Isaiah poss. m. (2nd) BETSY____who d. 22 Jan. 1894, ae. 80 yrs., 11 mos., 5 dys.; Ch. of Isaiah and Betsy. ISAIAH H. d. 20 April 1859. Isaiah was of Brewster and a blacksmith of Provincetown. Family bur. lot 507, Provincetown Cem. (Lurana Higgins Cook, comp. *Provincetown Massachusetts Cemetery Inscriptions,* [Heritage Books, 1980], p. 101).
5. ELKANAH, b. 16 June 1818.
6. TABITHA, b. 18 Nov. 1821.
7. FRANKLIN, b. 20 June 1824, d. 1863, m. EUNICE ABIGAIL NOYES, b. 1 Jul. 1828, d. 4 Feb. 1899. Rem. to Bridgewater, ME. In Civil War, army.

ii. BENJAMIN[4], b. 11 May 1784, (Wellfleet VR, [Births], p. 42), d. 1809; m. int. 12 Sept. 1807, SALLY ROGERS of Orleans. Ch. HANNAH ROGERS[5], b. 18 July 1808; LUCINDA, b. 20 Dec. 1810, d. 1 Nov. 1811; CHARLES, b. 11 Dec. 1813, d. 1 Jan. 1816; SALLY, b. 7 July 1817; BENJAMIN[5], b. 8 Nov. 1820; CHARLES, b. 20 Oct. 1822; BETHIAH, b. 24 June 1825; JOSEPH[5]. b. 6 Oct. 1828. (Wellfleet VR, [Births], 1:96; First Church Orleans Records; S. Wellfleet Cem. Inscr.).

2. iii. ELKANAH[4], b. 10 Dec. 1785 (Wellfleet VR, [Births], 1:42), d. 16/18 April 1818; m. 28 March 1808, MARY STUBBS of Wellfleet (Wellfleet VR, int., p. 5, 301, [Marriages], p. 559), b. 15 Sept. 1788, dau. of JOHN and AMY (COVELL) STUBBS (Wellfleet VR, p. 5), d. 12 Aug. 1858, ae. 72 yrs., 11 mos. (Wellfleet g.s.).
iv. NANCY[4], b. 8 Sept. 1787, d. 16 Oct. 1797, ae. 10 yrs.
v. EBENEZER[4], b. 11 March 1789, d. 7 March 1805, ae. 16 yrs.
vi. JOSEPH[4], b. 28 May 1791, d. 4 Sept. 1791.
vii. ZILLAH[4], (LILLAH) b. 17 July 1792 (Wellfleet VR, [Births], p. 42); m. SIMON KNOWLES STUBBS 8 Oct. 1816 (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 566).
viii. JOSEPH[4], b. 2 July 1794, d. 2 May 1800.
ix. BETHIAH[4], b. 25 Oct. 1796 (Wellfleet VR, [Births], p. 42); m. JOHN STUBBS 7 Jan. 1818 (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 570), d. ca. 1826.
x. TIMOTHY[4], b. 30 June 1799; m. SUSANNA SMITH, 5 Nov. 1820, both of Wellfleet by Rev. Timothy Davis. (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], 1:570, 576).
xi. Son[4], b. 12 March 1801, d. same day.
xii. POLLY[4], b. 4 July 1802 (Wellfleet VR, [Births], p. 42), d. 23 Oct. 1881; m. 16 Nov. 1824 ABNER NEWCOMB (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 576), b. 4 July 1802, d. 23 Oct. 1881. (*Mayflower Descendant,* vol. 25).

Will of George[4] Ward, (Benjamin[3], George[2-1]) husband of (2nd) Mary (Stubbs/Ward) Ward. His will was filed as follows[1]:

George Ward, house carpenter, bequeaths

1. to beloved wife Mary Ward the use and improvement of all my estate, real and personal, so long as she remains my widow to use and manage to the best advantage of her support and the support or bringing up of my children and her children and if improvement of my estate is not sufficient for the purposes of aforesaid I invest her with the power of selling or conveying part or all if necessary of my real estate for the purpose aforesaid.

2. all the real and personal property that remains at her death or if she marries again two thirds of what remains at her marriage go to

Polly Atwood Stubbs	
George Ward	
Isaiah Gill Ward	my children
Elkanah Ward	
Tabitha Ward	
Franklin Ward	
Nancy Ward	my wife Mary's
Mary Ann Smith Ward	children

or their children if any of them should die and leave children in equal shares

Sons George, Isaiah, Elkanah, and Franklin may wish to have the house and homestead. Any one or more of them that wish it may have it at a fair and just appraisal.

Mary Ward, executrix

Mar. 20, 1827, filed 1836, appraisal May 13, 1837.

Real Estate. Dwelling house and lot, $226; workshop & barn, $37; salt works, millstone, and land, $224; tillage land north and east of house and barn $57; tillage land north and west of house and barn $62; mowing swamp and garden $78; salt meadow in front of house where salt mill stands, $60; ditto west of this piece, $27; pew in So. Wellfleet meeting house, $30; pew in gallery of North meeting house, $5 - value of real estate, $871.

Personal. Horse, cow, heifer, chaise and cart, furniture, bedding, 6 silver spoons, $12, cracking ware $4.50, notes, $112 - value $360. Total value of estate listed as $1,232.75.

2. ELKANAH WARD was an American seaman who carried papers proving American citizenship and thusly could not be conscripted into the British army. Mary married (2nd), 13 January 1825, THOMAS SMITH, seaman[2]; he died at Charleston, SC, 9 September 1826. Mary married (3rd) GEORGE[4] WARD. Her brother-in- law, Luke Stubbs, of Hingham (or Hull) was first of the Stubbs family to remove to Eastham. Luke married the first cousin of Rebecca Newcomb, wife of George[1] Ward who were probably neigbors at Eastham. Mrs. Polly Maganeau, of Eastham, is a descendant of SAMUEL WARD of Hingham through Luke Stubbs ancestry. (See app. A for more about the Newcomb family, and conditions at the early New England colonies and about the Samuel and Remember (Allerton) Ward family at Hingham).

Children of Elkanah[4] and Mary (Stubbs), surname Ward (Wellfleet VR, [Births] 1:101):

i. NANCY[5], b. 5 May 1810; m. (1st), 2 Dec. 1828? HARDING WILEY, (Wellfleet VR, 1:502; (2nd) JOSEPH HARDING. Built house on the Harding inheritance.

ii. MARYANN SMITH[5], b. 25 May 1813 (Wellfleet VR, p. 77), m. JOHN WILEY, 5 Feb. 1833.

Notes for Chapter 4

1. Probate records, 15:253, case #991, dtd. 20 March 1827.
2. Wellfleet Church & Ages (Wellfleet VR, (Marriages), p. 576.

CHAPTER 5

Part I
Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward at Eastham

JOSEPH[2] WARD (George[1]) was chosen 4 March 1777 to be a member of a committee of correspondence, inspection, and safety. This committee arranged to pay 10 men 4 lbs. per month which would be in addition to government wages if these men would voluntarily enlist. This committee was also charged with providing for the families of the eighteen servicemen who volunteered.[1]

Joseph was on the School Committee for the southern district of Wellfleet, MA. in 1761 and 1778, and an Indian Agent, caretaker of Indian lands. The approximately 400 Indians on the Cape acknowledged that they were subjects to the King of England perhaps without knowing that they were agreeing to pay to the government of Plymouth. Joseph was appointed executor of his brother George's estate, 4 December 1776. Joseph married MARY TREAT whose family is traced to Sommerset, England to 1450. (For further discussion about Joseph's descendants who removed to Gorham, ME, see following chapter. For more discussion about the Treat family, see Appendix B).

Children of Joseph and Mary (Treat), surname Ward, ("Genealogical Notes, Eastham VR, [Births]" *The Mayflower Descendant,* vol. 19, p. 102; Eastham VR).

i. JOHN[3] (Joseph[2], George[1]) b. 18 March 1750 (Eastham VR, [Marriage] int. 1716-1735), d. at Gorham 6 Sept. 1831 (Gorham VR, 2:242), ae. 81; m. Eastham, 11 Jan. 1770, HANNAH WILEY, (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 523), b. prob. 16 Jan. 1752. This family rem. to Gorham and is found on tax records ca. 1790. (See ch. 7 for discussion about this family and its descendants).

ii. WILLIAM[3], "of New London," b. 16 Jan. 1752, Eastham VR, (Brownson, *Genealogical Notes, Cape Cod Families* at Sturgis Library, Barnstable, MA); d. at Thorndike, ME; m. 28 Dec. 1793, TEMPERANCE THATCHER "of Harwich", b. at Eastham 1 June 1754. Poss. rem. to Thorndike, ME and d. there. (See Wards at Thorndike, ch. 6).

iii. DAVID[3], b. at Harwich 1 June 1754 (ibid, Eastham VR, Brownson); Poss. d. at Thorndike. (See ch. 6).

iv. ELISHA[3], b. at Eastham 29 Oct. 1756, d. at Wellfleet 23 Aug. 1821; m. 24 Dec. 1778, THANKFUL SMITH "of Eastham" (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 532), b. ca. 1753, d. 16 April 1830 (Wellfleet VR, [Deaths] 1:237). Res. at Wellfleet. (See app. F. for more information about Elisha's Rev. War service). Ch. EZEKIEL[4], b. 22 June 1779; POLLY, m. JAMES STUBBS 30 Nov. 1824 (Wellfleet VR, [Marriages], p. 576); HANNAH, b. 1789; JOSEPH, b. 1792.

v. EZEKIEL[3], b. at Eastham, 22 June 1759; m. May 1805, RUTH SMITH COOK (Wellfleet VR, Vernon R. Nickerson, of Taunton, MA, " Marriages of Marriage

Intentions 1785-1844," New England Historical Genealogical *Record*,vol. 123, pp. 118,124).

3. vi. DANIEL[3], b. 21 Sept. 1761, at Eastham, d. at Gorham 1810; m. at Gorham, int. to m. PHOEBE JORDAN, 22 Nov. 1783, (m. Nov. 1783, Gorham VR, 1:36). (See Ch. 7).

3. DANIEL[3] WARD married PHOEBE JORDAN, of Cape Elizabeth, b. ca. 1762, intentions were made 22 November 1783.[2] She was the daughter of DR. CLEMENT JORDAN of Cape Elizabeth (pub. 22 November 1783). Daniel, said to be a cousin of NATHAN and JOSEPH WARD, JR., was a blacksmith and resided near the Buxton line. In April, 1798, he purchased the hundred acre lot #60 of MRS. MARY PERKINS, of Boston. She was an heir of GEORGE HANCOCK and JOHN HANCOCK, a wealthy shipper and signer of the Declaration of Independence. Daniel and Phoebe renewed their Convenant at the Church of Christ in Buxton 27 May 1798.[3] Following Daniel's death, his widow married 13 October 1811, CAPT. THOMAS LIBBY, of Scarborough. Phoebe died aged 60, 26 March 1822.

Children of Daniel and Phoebe (Jordan), surname Ward (Buxton VR, p. 73):

i. SAMUEL[4], b. 28 Feb. 1785; m. HANNAH DAVIS of Cape Cod, rem. to Howland. He made his Convenant at the Church of Christ in Buxton 27 May 1798. Ch. LOUISA[5], b. 10 July 1807; SEABRA DAVIS, b. 14 Sept. 1808; PHEBE, b. 10 July 1811; WILLIAM, b. 18 April 1813; SARA GRAY, b. 2 Feb. 1815; SAMUEL, JR., b. 24 April 1821; ROBERT HARDING, b. 26 Jan. 1824. (Buxton VR, p. 109).

4. ii. SILAS JORDAN[4], b. 15 Dec. 1786, d. at Madison, NH, 9 Dec. 1860 (g.s.), bur. at Ward-Stacy Plot, Madison N.H.; m. (1st) 22 Dec. 1811, RACHAEL WOOD, b. at Gorham, 27 Oct. 1794 dau. of WILLIAM and PLOOY (DYER) WOOD, JR.; m. (2nd) ELIZABETH (BETSY) STACY, b. 27 Dec. 1794, dau. of BENJAMIN and MARY (GLOVER) STACY. Betsy d. at Madison, 31 May 1869 and bur. at Ward-Stacy Plot at Madison (g.s.). Silas made his Covanant at Church of Christ in Buxton 19 June 1798. Appears to have rem. to Hollis, ME. Ch. CLEMENT[5], b. at Hollis 4 Feb. 1813 (ME VR); SILAS H., JR, b. 1824. (See below for more information about this family).

iii. MARY[4] (POLLY), b. 31 March 1792; m. 22 Oct. 1812, WILLIAM McQUILLAN, of Portland.

iv. DANIEL[4], JR., b. 24 March 1794; d. 14 Feb. 1880, m. EUNICE SPENCER dau. of William E. and Elisha (Cooper) Spencer of Baldwin, ME, b. 1780, d. 25 Mar. 1822. His Covenant was made at the Church of Christ at Buxton 19 June 1798.

Children of Daniel, Jr. and Eunice (Spencer), surname Ward:

1. WILLIAM, b. at Buxton, 18 Jan. 1821, d. 14 Feb 1880, m. HANNAH WHEELER, Ch. CHARLES ALBERT, SARAH ABBIE, GEORGE W., JOHN F., FREDERICK A. (Rev.), JENNIE M., DANIEL J., EVERETT EDSON.
2. CHARLES HENRY, b. at Buxton 15 Mar. 1823, m. HELEN WHITNEY, b. 21 Jan. 1821, d. at Baldwin 12 Sept. 1879, ae. 56 yrs. 6 mos. Ch. EBEN J., ASA M.

3. SIMON H., b. at Buxton 1826, d. at Bethel 31 Mar. 1893, m. HARRIET SEAVEY.

2b. 4. FRANCIS L., b. at Buxton 26 Mar. 1828, d. ae. 62 yrs. 1.1 mos., m. SARAH AIMEDA MESERVE, b. at Brownfield, ME, 26 Aug. 1826, d. at Baldwin 31 May 1913, ae. 76 yrs. 9 mos. 5 days.

5. CYRUS K., b. at Baldwin 2 June 1835, d. at Cumberland Mills 6 Feb. 1878, m. (1st) JOANNA WHITNEY 6 Feb. 1878, m. (2nd) SUSAN T. ____. (Gorham VR, 2:217, and McLellan, *History of Gorham, ME,* p. 799).

4. SILAS JORDAN[4] (Daniel[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) Ward was son of Daniel, the blacksmith, at Gorham, ME. Silas removed to Madison, NH and died there 9 December 1860.[4]

Children of Silas and Elizabeth (Stacy), surname Ward, all born in Madison Section of Eaton, NH:

i. DANIEL[5] (Silas Jordan[4], Daniel[3], Joseph[2], George[1]), b. 1 May 1820, d. at Madison, 2 Jan. 1861; m. MEHITABLE THOMPSON, b. at Eaton, NH, 1814, dau. of JOHN and LOVEY THOMPSON, d. at Madison, 7 Dec. 1890 (Madison VR). Daniel was a blacksmith.

Children of Daniel and Mehitable (Thompson), surname Ward:

1. CHRISTINA H., b. at Eaton, NH, 1845, d. at Madison, NH, 2 May 1926 (Madison VR), bur. Ward-Stacy plot; m. PEOLE BROWN.
2. ELIZABETH A. b. at Eaton, May 1852, d. at Eaton, 25 Aug. 1853, ae. 1 yr. 3 mos., bur.at Hart Cem., Snowville, NH. (g.s.).
3. DANIEL C., b. at Madison, 22 Jan. 1859, d. unm. at Ossipee, NH, 4 April 1930, (Ossipee VR). Bur. Ward-Stacy plot.

5. ii. SILAS H., b. 25 Aug. 1824, d. at Madison, 25 March 1875, bur. in Gilman Cem., Madison. (Madison VR); m. at Eaton 3 March 1846, ELSA JANE HARRIMAN, b. at Eaton, 31 March 1827, dau. of SAMUEL B. and LOUISA HARRIMAN. Elsa d. at Maynard, MA, 10 Jan. 1908, bur. at Gilman Cem., Madison (Madison VR). (See below for more on this family and descendants).

6. iii. SAMUEL EATON, b. 25 Dec. 1826, d. at Madison 25 May 1887, bur. Gilman Cem. (Madison VR); m. at Freedom, NH, 9 Feb. 1855, TABITHA S. SHAW, b. at Freedom, 22 March 1839, d. at Madison, 4 Oct. 1914 (Madison VR), dau. of IRA and LAVINE (DURGIN) SHAW. (See app. I for discussion of Samuel's Civil War service).

iv. ELIZABETH; b. 1827, m. JAMES WYMAN.

v. NATHAN. b. 1828, d. 9 Sept. 1832, bur. at Ward-Stacy plot, Madison.

vi. CLEMENT J. b. 4 Feb. 1813 at Hollis (ME VR), d. 1 Jan. 1872 at Content (Colorado Co.), TX,

vii. BENJAMIN M., b. at Milford, MA 1832.

viii. THOMAS F. b. 1833.

ix. JOHN K., b. 1837, d. 11 Oct. 1857, bur. Ward-Stacy plot (g.s.); m. SARAH GROVER.

Part II
Silas H. and Elsa (Harriman) Ward

7. SILAS H.[5] (SILAS JORDAN[4], DANIEL[3], JOSEPH[2]. GEORGE[1]) WARD,b. at Madison 25 Aug 1824, d. Thur 25 Mar 1875 enlisted at Manchester, NH, 7 Dec 1861. (See appen. I for information about his Civil War service).

Children of Silas H. and Elsa (Harriman), surname Ward:

i. GEORGE H.[6] (Silas H.[5], Silas J.[4], Daniel[3], Joseph[2], George[1]), b. at Madison, 29 Aug. 1849, d. at Harrison, ME, 16 Feb. 1942 (Harrison VR), bur. Gilman Cem.; m. (1st) EMMA G. WIGGIN, b. at Tuftonbough, NH, dau. of WOODBURY L. WIGGIN; m. (2nd) 25 May 1883, EMMA J. SMART, b. at Eaton 1858, dau. of EVERETT SMART, div. at Ossipee, NH, 18 April 1890 (Ossipee VR).
Children of George H. and Emma (Smart), surname Ward:
1. LUCY[7] C., b. 1874.
2. EMMA G. b. at Madison Oct. 1878. Res. with her grandfather, Woodbury L.Wiggin.
3. FLORA; m. WILLIAM THURSTON.
4. IRMA E., b. at Madison 5 Oct. 1884, m. (1st)___FARRINGTON; m. (2nd) 22 Oct. ca.1900, at Conway, NH, JAMES M. BUSHWELL (Conway VR).

ii. MILFORD[6], b. 1851, d. at Madison, 24 June 1853, bur. in Gilman Cem. Dau. EDITH, res. in Boston as of 1995.

iii. ELLA L., b. 1853, d. at Maynard; m. (1st) 14 Oct. 1870, HIRAM DREW; m. (2nd)___HOOPER.

vi. JENNEY E., bur. at Gilman Cem.

v. MYRA S., b. 1855, d. at Boston; m.___ABBOTT.

vi. LIZZIE M., b. 15 Oct. 1856, d. in MA, 12 May 1909; m. at Conway, NH, 15 Oct. 1874, by C.W.WILDER, J.P., FRANK. J. GLINES, b. 6 Aug. 1856, d. 5 Nov. 1887. (Glines Family Bible owned by the late Alonzo Lane, 1979).
Children of Lizzie (Ward) and Frank, surname Glines:
1. WILLIE[7] E., b. 8 May 1875, d. in CA.
2. FREDSON E., b. 24 April 1878, d. 30 Oct. 1887.
3. ELSIE E., b. 24 Feb. 1884, d. 18 Jan. 1940; m. at Andover MA, 23 Oct. 1902 ALONZO S. LANE.

vii. JOHN MILFORD, b. at Madison, 5 May 1859, d. at Madison, 19 Apr. 1908 (Madison VR), bur. at Gilman Cem.; m. at Madison (1st), 3 Nov. 1833, GEORGIA A. HEAD, b. at Eaton, NH, 23 March 1860 dau. of RUFUS and BETSEY (FLETCHER) HEAD. Betsey d. at Madison, 25 Feb. 1894, bur. at Gilman Cem. (Madison VR). John m. at Madison, 3 July 1895 (2nd), SUSAN M. WEEKS, b. 1873, dau. of JOHN H. and SARAH J. (MERRILL) WEEKS. Susan d. at N. Conway, NH 13 March 1947 (N. Conway VR), bur. in Chocorua Village NH Cem. She m. (2nd) ROSCO GREENE.
Children of John and Susan (Weeks), surname Ward:
1. MILFORD SILAS, b. at Madison, 8 Sept. 1896 (Madison VR), d. at Conway, NH, 30 Dec. 1966 (Conway VR), bur. at Conway Village Cem. WW1 U. S. Navy Vet.; m. ANNA OSBORN, b. at Newark, NJ, 9 Sept. 1885. dau. of JAMES HENRY and EDNA (SOMER) OSBORN; m. June 1922 at NY City. Ch. EDITH b. at Norwood MA, 6 April 1923, unm.

2. JOHN CLIFFORD, b. at Madison 9 Sept. 1900 (Madison VR), 21 April 1982, bur. Lyman Cem. Madison; m. (1st) at Tamworth, NH, 9 Sept. 1920, GLADYS LYMAN, dau. of FRED P. and PEARL (SAVARY) LYMAN. Gladys was b. at Madison, 10 Dec. 1904, d. at Madison, 30 Aug. 1947 (Madison VR), bur. Lyman Cem. at Madison. John m. at Madison, (2nd) 1 Jan. 1950, ALICE (HAMILTON) BOYD, b. 13 Dec. 1902, dau. of ALEXANDER M. and HARRIETTE (CARR/BAKER) HAMILTON.
   Children of John Clifford and Gladys (Lyman), surname Ward:
   (i). FREDERICK LYMAN, b. at Madison, 29 Oct. 1925 (Madison VR), d. at Silver Lake, NH 4 July 1929 (Silver Lake VR). bur. Lyman Cem.
   (ii). JOHN CLIFFORD, JR., b. at Madison, 24 Dec. 1929 (Madison VR), d. 21 Sept. 1989, bur. Lyman Cem.; m. at Fryeburg, ME, 29 March 1953, MAY ALICE HILL, dau. of FRED and ADELAIDE (MANN) SHERMAN. Adelaide was b. 29 Oct. 1931. Ch. TERESA JOANNE, b. at Madison, 10 Oct. 1953 (Madison VR), STEVEN ALAN, b. at Madison, 21 Oct. 1954 (Madison VR).
   (iii). GERALD LYMAN, b. at Portland, ME, 21 July 1936 (Portland VR); m. at Bartlett, NH, 16 Nov. 1957, PRISCILLA MYRTLE BROWN, b. 21 July 1935, dau. of ROY and MYRTLE (McKINLEY) BROWN. Ch. PAMELA, b. at Portsmouth, NH 18 July 1958; DOUGLAS ROY, b. at N. Conway, NH 15 Dec. 1959; KENNETH JOHN, b. at N. Conway 19 July 1962.

6. SAMUEL EATON [5], (Silas J.,[4] Daniel[3], Joseph[2], George[1]), a thirty-eight-year-old farmer, enlisted 1 September 1864 and served in Co. G, New Hampshire Regt. (See appendix I for further information about his Civil War service). He died suddenly 24/25 May 1887, aged sixty one years, six months.

Children of Samuel Eaton and Tabitha (Shaw), surname Ward:

i. IRA S.[6], b. 24 Nov. 1857, d. 11 Oct. 1862, ae. 5 yrs., bur. Ward-Stacy plot. (g.s.).
ii. ELIZABETH ANN[6], b. 16 May 1858, d. 18 Oct. 1862, ae. 4 yrs. (g.s.),bur. Ward-Stacy plot.
iii. THOMAS EDGAR[6], b. at Madison, 6 July 1860, d. at Kezar Falls, ME, 28 April 1904 (g.s.), bur. Riverside Cem., Kezar Falls, ME; m. 22 Dec. 1886, ESTHER ETTA HEAD (Madison VR), b. at Eaton, NH, dau. of RUFUS and BETSEY (FLETCHER) HEAD. Ch. WALTER FRANKLIN.
iv. NOAH[6], b. 28 Jan. 1862, d. 14 Aug. 1925; m.____. Rem. to PA. Had issue.
v. LYDIA ANN[6], b. 12 Nov. 1864, d. 24 May 1935, m. THOMAS J. BICKFORD. Ch. MABEL; JOSEPHINE.
vi. SAMUEL[6], b. at Madison, 8 Dec. 1866, d. at Madison 13 Oct. 1941 (Madison VR), bur. Gilman Cem., Madison; m. at Ossipee, NH, (Ossipee VR), 5 Oct. 1890, MARY E. McDONALD, b. at Wakefield, NH, 14 May 1873, d. at Center Harbor, NH, 11 Nov. 1966 (Center Harbor VR), dau. of MALCOM and AMANDA (CROCKETT) McDONALD. bur. at Gilman Cem. Ch. FLORENCE BERTHA, b. at Madison, 2 Aug. 1892 (Madison VR), d. at Madison, 8 Nov. 1914. Florence m. HARRY M. DUPREY. Both bur. Gilman Cem. d.s.p.

vii. ASA[6], b. 1 Feb. 1870, d. at Effingham, NH, 28 Jan. 1919 (Effingham VR), bur. at S. Effingham Cem.

viii. IRA[6], b. 1 Dec. 1871, d. intestate at Madison, 16 July 1951 (Carroll Co.NH, probate #13,921), He acquired 75 acres of land as described in Carroll Co. [Deeds] 113:252. Left to bro. Frank G. Ward, nieces and nephews. (See Warranty Deed 1018:289, dtd. 4 July 1985.) Frank acquired Ira's half interest by Quitclaim Deed (288: 400-401, 523-525). Ira Unm., bur. Gilman Cem.

ix. ARTHUR BELLNAP[6], b. at Madison, 23 May 1873 (Madison VR), d. at N. Conway, NH, 17 July 1941 (Conway VR), bur. at Gilman Cem.; m. at Madison, (1st) ALICE MAY BROOKS, b. at Eaton, NH, 20 April 1880, dau. of ALBERT and SARAH A. (JENNESS) BROOKS. Div. 22 April 1898 (Ossipee VR); m. (2nd) at Madison, 12 Dec. 1903, GRACE M. (CHENEY) TYLER, b. at Wells, ME, 25 May 1872, d. at Madison, 5 March 1940 (Madison VR). She is bur. in Gilman Cem. She is dau. of JAMES H. and LYHVINA (MORTON) CHANEY. Ch. of Arthur and Alice was FRED R., b. at Eaton, 2 Dec. 1894, d. at Eaton, 31 March 1895 (Eaton VR).

x. FRANK GRAFTON[6] (Samuel E.[5], Silas J.[4], Daniel[3], Joseph[2], George[1]), b. at Madison, 18 March 1876, d. intestate at Madison, ae. 86, foll. brief illness, 6 Aug. 1963 (Madison VR, Carroll Co. Probate #16,459); m. at Madison, 1 May 1901 EMMA E. SAWYER (Madison VR), b. at Limington, ME, 17 June 1881, d. at Madison, 18 Jan. 1950, dau. of FRANCIS A. and LUCIA J. (ROBERTS) SAWYER. Frank was a life-long member of Odd Fellows. Funeral service at Madison Community Church was conducted by The Rev. Walter Bailey. (Carroll County NH *Independent*, obit., 6 Aug. 1963). Frank and Emma bur. at Gilman Cem.

Children of Frank Grafton and Emma (Sawyer), surname Ward, all born at Madison (Madison VR):

1. ELSON ASBRA[7], b. 31 Aug. 1901, d. ae. 89, 19 Dec. 1990; m. NORMA FREDETTE, b. at Chicopee, MA, 9 Aug. 1912, d. ae. 70, 15 Nov. 1989, dau. of ALVAH and PEARL (CANNON) FREDETTE. Both Elson and Norma bur. in St. Patrick Cem. Chicopee, MA. He was empl. by Pratt & Whitney Aircraft prior to retirement. Funerals for Elson and Norma were conducted at Sacred Heart Church. (Hartford, CT *Courant,* orbit, 19 Dec. 1990; orbit 15 Nov. 1989). Worked with Pratt Whitney Aircraft in flight testing. Ch. FRANK ELSON, b. at Vernon, CT, 4 March 1953. Res. at Vernon in 1995, unm. Grantee of Warranty Deed of 75 acres in Madison. (See below).
2. NOAH FRANCIS[7], b. 16 March 1903 (Madison VR), d. intestate at Manchester, CT, 3 Dec.1969 (Madison VR); m. at Tamworth, NH 27 Nov. 1926, MADELINE B. GILES, d. 1990, dau. of JOHN and SADIE (FOX) GILES. Noah and Madeline both bur. in Lakeview Cem. Freedom, NH. (Madeline grantor to Warranty Deed, see below). Res. at Madison. d..s.p.
3. ROLAND EARL[7], b. 26 Oct. 1904, d. suddenly foll. a heart attack, ae.61, intestate, at Conway, NH, 6 June 1966, (Conway VR, Carroll Co. Probate #17,057). Funeral was held at Madison Baptist Church by The Rev. Elton Clark He was bur. at Gilman Cem.; m. at Madison, 26 Oct. 1929, MARGARET (CAMPBELL) ROY, b. at Worcester, MA (Worcester VR), 9 Feb. 1905, d. 29 April 1972 (Hanover VR), dau. of JAMES and FLORENCE (STEVENS) (HALL) CAMPBELL. Roland was a cabinet

maker, empl. by John F. Chick & Son, Inc. His hobbies were fishing and hunting. *(Independent* orbit, 6 June 1966). Margaret was a cook at the Madison school and at summer camps. She was a member of the Madison Church, Madison Cascade Grange, and a past president of the Madison Woman's Club. (obit. 4 May 1972). Both Roland and Margaret bur. at Gilman Cem. d.s.p. CONSTANCE E. (ROY) FEUERBORN, b. at Conway, 5 June 1924, dau. of MARGARET (CAMPBELL) ROY by a previous marriage.

4. PHILIP ELLSWORTH[7], b. at Madison, 22 March 1907 (Madison VR), d. at Conway, 26 Feb. 1963 (Conway VR); m. at Fryeburg 15 Nov. 1928 (Fryeburg VR), MARION (PURINGTON) PHILBRICK, b. at Tamworth, NH, 1907, d. at Concord, NH, ae. 79, 6 April 1985 (Concord VR), dau. of RALPH and ELSIE M. (SAWYER) PURINGTON. Marion's funeral was conducted by The Rev. Linda Snyder. Both Philip and Marion bur. Gilman Cem. (*Independent*, orbit, 6 April 1985). See below for further discussion of this family.
5. HARRY ALTON[7], b. at Madison, 29 Nov. 1909 (Madison VR), d. intestate at N. Conway, 28 May 1972, (N. Conway VR, [Carroll Co], probate #18486), bur. at Gilman Cem.; m. at Madison, 7 Feb. 1935, MARY ELIZA (BICKFORD) WEBSTER, b. at Madison, 9 July 1907, d. suddenly at Conway,ae. 57, 25 Sept. 1964 (Conway VR), dau. of CHARLES and ELLA J. (DARLING) BICKFORD. She was a member of the Pocahontas Lodge of Salmon Falls. Funeral was conducted at Madison Baptist Church by The Rev. Walter Bailey, bur. at Conway Village Cem. *(Independent*, orbit, 25 Sept. 1964).Ch. all b. at Madison: RUBY VIRGINIA*, b. 29 Dec. 1934, m. 14 Aug. 1956, HAROLD EARL WENTWORTH; RAYMOND HARRY*, b. 12 Sept. 1937; SAMUEL FRANK*, b. 25 June 1940, m. and res. in NJ. (* Grantors in Warranty Deed, see below).
6. PERLEY EDGAR[7], b. 25 Sept. 1912, d. suddenly, ae. 66, intestate at Madison, 19 July 1979 (Madison VR, Carroll Co. Probate #22,060), unm., d.s.p., bur. Gilman Cem. Res. on Ward Place at Madison. His family settled on the old Lead Mine Farm located on Ward Hill Road at Madison. The lead mine and marginal land never turned a profit so most of the settlers there moved away in search of more fertile ground. But the Frank Grafton family and descendants remained there including Perley. Perley resided alone in the large Cape Cod style farm house, befriending those who would pay attention. He would do odd jobs as a "care taker" as he was called and would share his expertise about hunting and wood chopping. (From *Reflections on A True Native* by Joan Sherman, an owner of WBNC Radio, Conway NH, pub. by owner 4 March 1983, Conway, NH *Mountain Bear,* 4 March 1983) and Albert Watson 6 July 1979 published in *The Observer* a poem which includes "Perley doesn't plant or harvest, and he has no gift for manufacture. He observes." He was a WWII vet., served in N. Africa and Europe. Funeral conducted in Center Ossipee by The Rev. George Davidson. (*Independent*, orbit, 19 July 1979).
7. FRANK GRAFTON, JR[7]., b. at Madison, 6 April 1918 (Madison VR); m. 26 April 1944, OLIVE C. THOMPSON, b. at Windham, NY, 25 Dec. 1918, dau. of RAYMOND and HILDA (WOODWORTH) THOMPSON.

Grantor with others a Warranty Deed on 75 acres in Madison, not being homestead property with public rights of closed road known as the Daniel Ward Road, 4 July 1985, since his father d. earlier. (Carroll Co. [Deeds] 1018:287-289).

Left:
Frank Grafton Ward, Sr.
1948

Below: Frank's sons:
l. to r.
Standing: Harry, Perley, Noah, Elson,
Seated: Philip, Roland, Grafton

Children of Frank Grafton and Olive (Thompson), surname Ward, all born at N. Conway, NH:

(i). SUSAN ROBERTA[8], b. at N. Conway, NH (Conway VR), 8 Sept.1947; m. at Chocorua, NH, 11 May 1968, WAYNE DANIEL FEUERBORN (Conway VR), b. at N. Conway, 24 Aug. 1944, son of DANIEL and CONSTANCE (ROY) FEUERBORN. Constance

was a signator to Warranty Deed (See above). Ch. MARK WAYNE FEUERBORN, b. at N. Conway 5 Nov. 1976 (Conway VR).

(ii). DOROTHY CHRISTINE[8], b. at N. Conway, 17 Oct. 1950; m. at Chocorua, NH, 30 April 1971, STEVEN JOHN MOORE, b. 3 Oct. 1947. Ch. surname Moore, were: MARGARET ANNE ELIZABETH, b. at N. Conway, NH, 28 Sept. 1971 (N. Conway VR); PAMELA MICHELLE, b. at Bangor, ME, 15 Sept. 1974 (Bangor VR); STEVEN MILLARD, b. at N. Conway, 24 Dec. 1979 (N. Conway VR).

4. PHILIP ELLSWORTH[7], b. at Madison, 22 March 1907 (Madison VR), d. at Conway, 26 Feb. 1963 (Conway VR); m. at Fryeburg 15 Nov. 1928 (Fryeburg VR), MARION (PURINGTON) PHILBRICK, b. at Tamworth, NH, 1907, d. at Concord, NH, ae. 79, 6 April 1985 (Concord VR), dau. of RALPH and ELSIE M. (SAWYER) PURINGTON. Marion's funeral was conducted by The Rev. Linda Snyder. Both Philip and Marion bur. Gilman Cem. (*Independent*, orbit, 6 April 1985).

Children of Philip Ellsworth[7] and Marion (Philbrick), surname Ward, all born at Concord, (Concord VR):

i JEAN LOUISE[8], b. at Conway, 21 June 1928; m. at Madison, 19 May 1951, CARL WENTWORTH ARNOLD, b. 4 July 1924, son of WILLIAM and ALICE (STACY) ARNOLD. Jean was a grantor in Warranty Deed (see above). Children of Jean (Ward) and Carl, surname Arnold, all born at N. Conway:

1. ROBERT[9], b. 15 March 1953; m. at Rochester, NY, 15 April 1978, DOLORES MAUPIN. Ch. STACY CATHERINE, b. 15 Nov. 1980; EVAN ROBERT, b. 11 Nov. 1982.
2. JANICE MARIE[9], b. 22 Jan. 1956; m. (1st) at Chocorua, NH, 11 Oct. 1975, PETER GOODSON, div. Ch. SARAH ALICE GOODSON, b. 4 Jan. 1978, KELLY JOANNE GOODSON, b.1 Nov. 1980; m. (2nd) at Tamworth, 28 Aug. 1988, HARRY DAVISON, div.
3. WILLIAM FRANK, b. 5 April 1958; m. (1st) at Cranston, RI, 24 June 1978, MARY BETH CROUCE, div. Ch. JOSHUA ROBERT, b. 8 July 1982; m. (2nd) at N. Conway, 3 Sept. 1994, GRETCHEN THOMAS.
4. DAVID ELLSWORTH, b. 24 March 1960; m___. Ch. DYLAN HERBERT KIRSCHBAUM, b. 16 Oct. 1990.
5. DOUGLAS EDWARD, b. 20 June 1962; m. at Madison, 28 May 1983, VICKI VIRGIN, div. in 1994.

ii. PHILIP ELLSWORTH[8], b. 22 Aug. 1929, d. at Conway, 31 May 1932, ae. 2 yrs. 9 mos. (Conway VR).

iii. MARILYN WANDA[8], b. 24 Nov. 1934. Unm. Grantor in Warranty Deed (See above).

iv. NANCY JOYCE[8], b. 24 Jan. 1934, d. 2 Oct. 1936, ae. 2 yrs., 9 mos.

v. GRAFTON RALPH (SONNY)[8], b. 16 Oct. 1936, d. at Conway, 29 Jan. 1941(Conway VR), ae. 4 yrs., 3 mos. adopt. by CEDRIC C. COLBERT. Bur. Conway Village Cem. Conway, NH.

vi. OLIVE JACQUELINE[8], b. at N. Conway, 3 Dec. 1937; m. at Conway, NH, 7 May 1955, ROGER ALBERT CLAYTON, of Madison, b. 13 Feb. 1936, son of ALBERT and ANNABELLE (HARMON) CLAYTON. Grantor in Warranty Deed (See above). Res. at Enfield, CT as of 1965. Roger employed in 1995 by Pratt & Whitney at Enfield, CT (E. Hartford) in experimental assembly. Elson

E. Ward was also employed by Pratt Whitney and worked in flight testing. He worked there with Elson A. Ward. Clayton ret. planned in Sept. 1997 and rem. to Madison with winters in Florida. Ret. 1998 at Madison.

Children of Olive (Ward) and Roger, all born at N. Norway, surname Clayton:

1. GLEN ALBERT[9], b. 21 July 1955; m. (1st) at Witchita, KA 21 July 1974, LINDA LORENZE, div. in 1978; m. (2nd) at Union, NH, 24 Nov. 1984, DENISE BROWN, dau. of SAMUEL and GRACE (BROWN) HARTNETT, of Enfield, CT. Ch. AARON MICHAEL BROWN, b. at Hartford, CT, 19 April 1983, adopt. by Glen in 1985; BRIANNA BETH, b. at Hartford, 17 Oct. 1991; SAMUEL ROGER, b. at Harrisonburg, VA, 17 Oct. 1991.
2. CHRISTINE ANN[9], b. 7 Feb. 1957; m. at Madison, 22 Sept. 1984, JERRY ALCIDE GATTEN, son of KENNETH and NOELLA (MARTIN) GATTEN, of Enfield, CT. Ch. JACOB THOMAS, b. at Springfield, MA. 3 Jan. 1990.

vii. CHERYL ANN[8], b. 2 June 1939, d. at Tamworth, NH, 22 Sept. 1945, ae. 6 yrs., 3 mos. Adopt. by KENNETH VITTUM, of Tamworth.

Notes to Chapter 5
Part I

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Part II

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CHAPTER 6

Part I
David and William Ward at Thorndike, Maine

Four of the six children of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward at Eastham appear to have removed from the Cape to Maine.

Two who are said to have removed to Thorndike were William "of New London," born 16 January 1752 and his wife Temperance Thatcher "of Harwich" who was born at Eastham 1 June 1754/56, and David who was born at Harwich 1 June 1754. David's wife is not mentioned at Eastham. However, descendants of the Thorndike progenitors state that David and William were sons of John Ward and were born at Gorham, ME. They were pioneers in the Lincoln Plantation (Thorndike), David having purchased half of lot 96.

Records at Thorndike do not distinguish between descendants of these Ward brothers, but it may be safely assumed that their descendants are listed as in the following families.

David Ward

David had 5 males and 3 females in addition to his wife who was aged between 40 and 50 listed in the 1830 Thorndike census.

The original William and David would have been in their 70's by 1830, so it appears that both of these men may not have been listed in 1830 and their descendants were the ones listed in this census.

Thorndike town meeting records of 4 April 1814 state that William Ward was one of the surveyors of highways. The 20 May 1816 meeting listed him as in the third district responsible to build a school. The meeting of 10 September 1821 listed William Ward among those listed in the index of cattle and sheep marks.

David Ward was mentioned in the 1 April 1815 and 6 April 1818 minutes as one of the surveyors of highways, also listed with William in the school district.[1] Difficulty appears in identifying to which William and which David these vital records refer. The elder William and elder David would been in their 50s to 60s while the younger William and younger David would have been in their 30s. Either generation could been in either of these positions.

DAVID WARD was born at Gorham, 15 October 1781 and died at Thorndike, 18 November 1869. He was a son of John and Hannah (Wiley) Ward and

married on 22 Dec. 1805 HANNAH JANE PARSONS, born 8 September 1784. (Thorndike VR, 2: 36, entered 17 March 1821), d. 26 Sept. 1837.

Children of David and Hannah (Parsons), surname Ward:

i. JANE JACKSON, b. 23 Aug. 1804; m. (1st)___FLYE?; m. (2nd) entered 6 April 1844, REUBEN JACKSON, of Unity (Thorndike VR, 2:92).

ii. EUNICE, b. 6 Oct. 1805, d. at Thorndike, 1 June 1864, ae. 58 yrs., 7 mos., 24 dys. (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.), unm.

8. iii. NATHAN, SR, b. at Thorndike, 1 July 1807, d. at Thorndike, 25 June 1882 ae. 74 yrs, 11 mos., 24 dys.(g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.); m. at Thorndike, 10 Dec. 1834, BETSY WEBB, (Thorndike VR, 2:73, 98), b. 3 Oct. 1814 (Thorndike VR, pp. 52, 79), d. at Thorndike, 8 Aug. 1872 ae. 57 yrs., 10 mos., 5 dys. (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.). See below for list of children.

9. iv. TIMOTHY K., b. at Thorndike, 19 Feb. 1809, d. 1/2 Nov. 1861, ae. 52 yrs., 9 mos. (Thorndike VR, 2:23 pasted inside front cover). Bur. at Wing Cem.; m. at Prospect (Searsport), ME, 25 Dec. 1832, LYDIA PENDLETON, b. 26 Dec. 1810, d. ae. 85 yrs., 8 mos., 26 dys.; bur. at Wing Cem. Thorndike (Waldo Co.), ME. (Surname Proj., Family Hist. Ctr. Farmington, ME, hereinafter SP, FHC). See below for list of children.

v. OLIVE, b. at Prospect (Searsport), 20 June 1812, d. 18 Sept. 1864.

vi. LUCY, b. at Thorndike, 19 Aug. 1814; m. 19 Dec. 1850/51, ENOCH W. SARGENT, of Brewer, ME, by James D. Lamson, J.P. (Thorndike VR, 81, 88).

10. vii. EZEKIEL, b. at Thorndike, 28 Sept. 1816 (Thorndike VR, 2:36), d. at Thorndike, 6 May 1882 (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.); m. CAROLINE M. LONG, entered 9 Sept. 1844 (Thorndike VR, 2:92), b. at Gorham, 5 Dec. 1827, d. at Thorndike, 17/19 May 1907 (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem. g.s. says "Father", "Mother"). She was dau. of DANIEL and HANNAH (WEBB) LONG. (E. Thorndike Cem. is Center Cem.).

viii. NOAH, b. at Thorndike, 20 June 1819, d. at Thorndike, 27 Feb. 1821/1824.

ix. HANNAH, b. at Thorndike, 25 April 1821; m. poss. 18 Nov. 1851, WILLIAM PARSONS. (Thorndike VR, 2:89).

x. VINSON (VINCEN), b. at Thorndike, 22 June 1823, d. at Thorndike, 27 Oct. 1908 (g.s. E.Thorndike Cem.); m. (1st), 25 Nov. 1847, LYDIA J. RAND, of Thorndike, b. 14 Aug. 1824, d. at Thorndike, 4 June 1866, dau. of GEORGE W. and MARY RAND. Ch. ELDEN; HORACE VINCENT; MARCIA L. Vinson m. (2nd) ELIZABETH (POMROY) WARD, of Thorndike. Ch. ABBIE JOYCE, b. at Thorndike, 9 Oct. 1870. (Aff. by Abbie's half sister, MARCIA L. WARD and taken on 14 Jan. 1937 from family Bible Thorndike VR, 2:155). Vinson poss. eligible for enrollment at Thorndike (Thorndike VR, 2:197). Ae. 27, Lydia ae. 25, MARY ae. 1 and prop. value $500. (1850 Thorndike Census, p. 8

.xi. RUFUS, b. at Thorndike, 23 Jan. 1826/29, d. 17 April 1906; m. REBECCA WYMAN of Troy, ME, entered 29 Aug. 1849 (Thorndike VR, 2:87). Rufus, ae. 24 and farmer with prop. value $400 and Rebecca, ae. 22 (Thorndike 1850 Census).

xii. JOHN b. at Thorndike, 3 May 1829, d. at Thorndike 17 April 1906; m. SALOMA MERRICK, b. 27 Feb. 1839, d. at Thorndike, 23 Jan. 1913.

William Ward

WILLIAM WARD, "of New London," was born at Eastham, MA, 16 January 1752 and his wife, TEMPERANCE THATCHER, who are said to have removed to Thorndike and died there, seemed to have left no records of their activities at Thorndike. It is likely that the following Wards are descended from this couple.(William Ward is listed in Town Meeting minutes of 10 Sept. 1821 recorded in the Thorndike Vital Records, p.14 among others as having recorded sheep and cattle marks from 1815 through 1871.This appears to have been either William "of New London" or perhaps his son William listed below.) Son WILLIAM, a farmer, born ca. 1778 (Listed ae. 72 in 1850 Thorndike Census, p. 8), died 26 October 1858, ae. 80 yrs. (Thorndike VR, 2:64); married poss. March, 23 July 1843 by Peter Moulton, J. P. (Thorndike VR, 2:76), MARY T. HOLLIS, of Danville, ME, ae. 46, born ca. 1804, died 1 June 1870, ae. 66 yrs. 6 mos. 8 dys. (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.).

The U.S. 1830 Census of Thorndike lists William Ward with 2 males aged 10 to 15, 1 aged 15 to 20, 1 aged 20 to 30, 1 aged 40 to 50 and 1 aged 50 to 60. Females were 1 aged 10 to 15, 1 aged 15 to 20, 1 aged 20 to 30 and 1 aged 40 to 50.[2]Thus by 1830 William had 5 males and 3 females living in his household at Thorndike.

Children of William and Mary T. (HOLLIS), surname Ward: (as listed in 1850 U.S.Census Thorndike, p. 8). (ADALINE WARD, dau. of William and Mary T. Ward, d. 13 Sept. 1847, ae. 3 yrs., 23 dys. g.s. E. Thorndike Cem., prior to 1850 census).

i. SARAH, b. ca. 1809. (listed ae. 41 in census); m. 4 Sept. 1859, ALISON PICKARD, of Plymouth by Daniel Coffin, J.P. (Thorndike VR, 2:122).

ii. WILLIAM, JR., b. ca, 1814, d. 23 Aug. 1882, ae. 68 yrs., 21 dys. (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.); m. entered 29 Aug. 1842 ALICE (ELICE) J. PICKARD (PACKARD) of Plymouth (Thorndike VR, 2:103), b. ca. 1822, d. 26 Oct. 1858. Children of William and Alice (Pickard) surname Ward:

1. AGUSTA (AUGUSTA), b. ca. 1843, (Listed ae. 7 in census).
2. ASHLEY, b. ca. 1844 (Listed ae. 6 in 1850 census); int. 15 April 1873 ELLEN M. HUBBARD of Unity, ME, (Thorndike VR, 2:138). Prob. eligible for enrollment at Thorndike in 1885 and 1889 (Thorndike VR, pp. 165, 168).
3. FREDERICK O., b. 1846, d. 1927 (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.); m. int. 23 April 1877, ETTA A. WARD, b. 1853, d. 1915 (Thorndike VR, 2:140).
4. ADELINE, b. 21 Aug. 1848. (Listed ae. 2 in census), d. 31 Sept. 1851, ae. 3 yrs., 23 dys., (g.s. at Thorndike Cem. gives her as dau. of William and Mary T. Ward (above) although birth dates match these parents' ch.)
5. ALERSON P. (Ellison), b. ca. 1849, (Listed ae. 1 in census), d. 31 July 1870, ae. 20 yrs., 10 mos. (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.).

iii. NATHAN, JR., b. ca. 1834. (Listed ae. 16 in census).

iv. FRANKLIN ?, b. ca. 1836. (Listed ae. 14 in census).

Further Discussion of the Ward Families Mentioned Above.

8. NATHAN WARD was listed as a farmer with property valued at $2,000 in the 1850 Thorndike U.S.Census.

Children of Nathan and Betsy (Webb) surname Ward: as recorded in the 1850 U.S.Census for Thorndike (Waldo Co.), ME, p. 5. Nathan's ae. given as 43, Betsy's, 36.

i. LUCRETIA, b. 17 May 1836, d. 1899 (Thorndike VR, 2:52); m. ___from Waterville, ME.
ii. MARY, b. ca. 1838, ae. 12. Twin to Martha.
iii. MARTHA, b. ca. 1838, ae. 12. Twin to Mary.
iv. ALBERT W., b. 20 Aug. 1840/49?, d. 2 Oct. 1922 (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.); m. at Unity, ME, 1 May 1864 by J.F. Parkhurst, Trial Justice (Thorndike VR, 2:127) , MARTHA HARMON, b. 17 March 1845; d. 3 March 1917 (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.). Listed as a merchant ae. 44 and eligible for enrollment in ME Militia in 1885, assessor in 1887 (Thorndike VR, 2:163, 187). Albert, with bro. Charles (below) and cousin Arthur L. (son of Ezekiel and Caroline Ward) entered into an agreement concerning a fence line on the road from Troy to Thorndike. (Thorndike VR, 2:167).
v. CHARLES W. b. 3 July 1842, d. 4 Sept. 1910 (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem. engraved "Husband"); m. MARY E. SMILEY, b. at Albion, ME, 10 July 1849, d. at Thorndike, 29 Nov. 1916, ae. 67 yrs., 4 mos., 19 dys. She m. (1st) ALVIN SMILEY. She was dau. of JOHN and THANKFUL (PHILBRICK) SMILEY (ME VR, [Death]). Charles was eligible for enrollment in ME Militia ae. 42. Listed as farmer in 1885, 1887 (Thorndike VR, 2: 163, 165). See above re: fence line agreement with Albert.
vi. NATHAN MANLEY, b. ca. 1840, (Listed ae. 6 in census), d. 19 Jan. 1887, ae. ca. 47, m. ELLEN SUSAN (ANNIE) BAGLEY. (See listed under Arthur Leslie and Annie Bagley family, below.)
vii. ELLEN, b. 1846, (Listed ae. 4 in census).
viii. SUSAN H., b. 1858, (Listed ae. 2 in census); int. JAMES L. MERRICK of Troy, ME 6 Mar. 1869. (Thorndike VR, 2:130).
ix. ETTA A., b.___1853, d. at Thorndike, 7 June 1915; m. FRED O. WARD, (ME VR, [Death]).

9. TIMOTHY WARD is listed as aged 41, and a farmer with property value of $700. (U.S. census 1850 Thorndike, pp. 20-21).

Children of Timothy and Lydia (Pendleton), surname Ward, all born at Thorndike: (Listed in Thorndike 1850 Census, pp. 20-21).

i. NANCY, b. ca. 1835. (Listed ae. 15 in 1850 census).
ii. GEORGE P., b. 6 May 1837, d. 14 Dec. 1907 (g.s. E.Thorndike Cem.); m. 14 July 1871, FLORA MAXIM, b. 12 April 1853, d. 11 March 1929 (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem., and Thorndike VR, 2:135). He poss. signed affidavit for his bro. Edwin for pension (See below).
iii. FLORA J., b. ae. 1839. (Listed ae. 11 in census).
iv. HARTH?, b. ca. 1841, (Listed ae. 9 in 1850 census; Thorndike VR, 2:136).

v. EDWIN, b. ca. 1845/46. (Listed ae. 5 in census), d. of asthma, 24 Sept. 1885, ae. 40 yrs., 9 mos., 14 dys. (Thorndike VR, 2:68, g.s. E. Thorndike Cem.); int. 5 Dec. 1865 (Thorndike VR, 2:129) m. after the Civil War on 11 Dec. 1865 at Palmyra, ME, HANNAH MAXIM b. 10 Aug. 1846, d. 13 April 1928, ae. 81 yrs., 8 mos., 3 dys. (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem). (See app. L for info. from his Civil War pension papers). (Poss. the "Edward" listed in Thorndike VR, 2:163 as eligible for ME Militia enrollment. If so, this would have been just prior to his death.)

vi. TIMOTHY MILTON, b. ca. 1848. (Listed ae. 2 in 1850 census); m. SOPHRINA MAXIM. Res. at Thorndike and E. Machias, ME. Three generations followed named IRVIN I, m. GRACE GALLAGHER, res. at E. Machias and Winthrop, ME; IRVIN, II, m. VIOLET RITCHIE, res. at Winthrop and Lewiston, ME; and IRVIN, III, b. at Lewiston, ME, ca. 1930, d. ca. 1980 at Olympia, WA. where he worked in Wildlife Management. He was killed in a boating accident.

vii. EZRA M., b. ca. Oct. 1852, d. ae. 5 mos., 7 dys., 14 Feb. 1853. (SP, FHC).

10. EZEKIEL and CAROLINE (LONG) WARD's families are listed in the 1850 Thorndike Census with Ezekiel as a farmer with property value of $300. Their children were listed in the Thorndike 1850 census with ages.

i. HEZEKIAH L., b. 29 March 1844, d. 18 Aug. 1868, ae. 21 yrs. 4 mos. 20 dys. (g.s. E. Thorndike Cem. Stone cemented at date line). He d. of scarlet fever. (Family records show b. 1844, d. ae. 24 yrs. 4 mos. 20 dys.)

11. ii. RUEL (REUEL) S., b. at Thorndike, 6 Oct. 1845/6, d. 1925; m. at Belfast (Hancock, Co), ME, int. 14 Nov. 1868, m. at Belfast, 1 Jan. 1869, FRANCES ELLEN (FLORA) BAGLEY, of Belfast (Hancock Co.), ME, b. at Troy, 1849, d. at Unity, 27 Sept. 1922, ae. 73 yrs., 6 mos., 2 dys., bur. at Pond Cem., Unity, (Thorndike VR, 2:133 and SP, FHC). She was dau. of JEREMIAH BAGLEY.

iii. ROSCOE L., b. 20 Aug. 1853, d. 7 Oct. 1868, of scarlet fever, ae. 15 yrs., 1 mo., 18 dys.

iv. HARRIET MATILDA (AUNT HATTIE), b. 22 Nov. 1855, d. 4 Feb. 1935; m. int. 26 Dec. 1876 (Thorndike VR, 2:140), ALONZO HARTWELL HIGGINS b.1846, d. ca.1920. Ch. DANA, b. ca. 1878, d. 26 Dec. 1902; CLAYTON, b. ca. 1879, d. 1888; CARRIE. b. ca. 1883, d. 1883; FLORA, b. 1884, bapt. 1884; LELA, b. 21 Oct. 1886, d. 19 April 1964.

12. v. ARTHUR LESLIE, b. 24 April/Aug. 1861, d. at Unity, 22 Jan. 1927; m. 18 Feb. 1888, ELLA SUSAN (ANNIE) BAGLEY, b. at Waldoboro (Lincoln Co.), ME, 4 Oct. 1862, d. at Unity, 16 Oct. 1930. (g.s.), dau. of JAMES G. and ELSIE (WALTER) BAGLEY. Susan m. (1st) Nathan Manley Ward, ca 1877, cousin to Arthur Leslie. (See above).

vi. CLARA BELLE, b. 19 Dec. 1867, d. 26 Feb. 1918; m. 29 Oct. 1892, MILLARD GILMORE, b. 11 Aug. 1862, d. 6 June 1943.

Children of Millard and Clara (Ward), surname Gilmore:

1. LILLE (LILLA) MAUDE, b. 31 Aug. 1895; m. 24 June 1914, HAROLD SMITH, b. 24 June 1914.

Children of Harold and Lille (Gilmore), surname Smith:

(i). FRANCES, m. SHELDON WARD, b. 19 Nov. 1918, son of Arthur Burleigh and CORA (ANDREWS) WARD. Sheldon served in

U.S.Navy, and a farmer. Ch. PETER HAVEN, b. at Portland, 27 May 1945; m. DONNA JUNE THOMPSON. See below for the Peter Haven family under Arthur Burleigh and Cora (Andrews) Ward family.

(ii). ADELLA TOWNSEND, b. 24 Sept. 1896; m. 4 June 1923, HERBERT EARL KIRKPATRICK. b. 6 April 1889, d. 6 Oct. 1926. Ch. BEVERLY CLARA, b. 3 Jan. 1925, Beverly m. 24 June 1950, ARTHUR GEORGE LILIENTHAL. Ch. of Arthur and Beverly were: CHERYE ANN, b. 12 July 1951; ARTHUR GEORGE, JR., b. 7 Oct. 1952, TRACY JEAN, b. 10 April 1962.

(iii). HATTIE MARIE, b. 31 May 1899, d. 28 Sept. 1900.

(iv). FLORICE MARIE, b. 1 Sept. 1901, d. 28 Sept. 1952; m. 20 Feb. 1925, _____ SMITH.

(v). DANA EZEKIEL, b. 12 March 1900/05, d. 10 Oct. 1974; m. MARGARET JOHNSON. Ch. MORRIS HARDY, b. 7 April 1910, d. 3 Oct. 1910.

(vi). MONIS HARDY, b. 7 April 1910, d. 3 Oct. 1910.

11. RUEL, son of Exekiel and Carolyn (Long) Ward, married FLORA BAGLEY. Ruel was listed on the Thorndike enrollment for militia for 1885, ae. 39, and selectman for 1887, 1889, 1891; assessor (Thorndike VR, 2:163, 165, 168, 171, 182). A farmer.

Children of Ruel and Flora (Bagley) surname Ward:

i. ADELAIDE, b. 18 Oct. 1869, d. 5 Aug. 1907; m. GEORGE T. WARD, b. 18 Sept. 1865/6. Ch. LUELLA, b. 1889; m. CLAYTON BERRY; EDWIN R., b. 28 Feb. 1897, d. 1 Sept. 1930 (g.s.). George ae. 34 appeared to be eligible for enrollment in 1901, 1903. (Thorndike VR, 2: 182, 188).

ii. ROSCOE CAROL, b. at Thorndike, 15 June 1871, d. 1946. (Birth rec. SP, FHC, and Thorndike VR, 2:155, taken from family Bible kept by his mother, Flora Bagley Ward, with aff. by bro. Ora and sister Rena). Rem. to Montana?

iii. LENA b. 1873; m. ALBERT RUSSELL. Ch. HERBERT; GEORGE; ARTHUR,

iv. RENA, b. 1875; m. JOHN WARD, a meat vendor., b. 1875.

v. ORA E., b. 1876/78, (SP, FHC), b. 1878, d. 1946, bur. at Pond Cem., unm.

vi. FREDERICK C., b. 1877/82, d. 1975 (b. 1882, d. 1975, bur. Pond Cem., Unity [SP, FHC]): m. ETHEL B. HUNT. b. 1892 (SP, FHC), bur. at Pond Cem. Ch. AVIS, b. ca. 1900; m. WILLIAM FARWELL; RALPH, b. ca. 1902, m. MARGERY ATWOOD; STANLEY, b. ca. 1904, m. SALLY DAVENPORT.

vii. GUSTAVUS R., b. 1878, d. 1965 (SP, FHC); m. OLIVE ROBERTS, b. at Brooks, (Waldo Co.), ME 1894 (SP, FHC). Ch. HELEN, b. ca. 1898; m. (1st) HAROLD PARKHURST; m. (2nd) JOHN BARTON, m. (3rd) CHESTER FARRINGTON; MORRIS G., b. ca. 1899, m. JOSEPHINE COLLINS; ERMA, b. ca. 1900, m. ROBERT EWELL. (Helen had 8 ch.)

viii. HAROLD E., b. ca. 1879 (SP, FHC, b. 1889, d. 1965); m. LUCY E. ADAMS, b. at Unity (Waldo Co.), ME, 17 July 1891, d. at Waterville (Kennebec Co.), ME, 12 Nov. 1972, bur. at Pond Cem., Unity. Lucy was dau. of JAMES and PHILENA (CHASE) ADAMS. Harold a farmer. Ch. ARLINE E., b. ca. 1900, m. HERBERT SURRETTE; FRANCES, b. ca. 1902, m. GEORGE SARGENT.

ix. CAROLYN, b. 1880, m. WALTER BOOKER.
x. FRANCES DOWNS (FANNIE, FANNY), b. ca. 1881; m. CLARENCE RUSSEL. Ch. RUEL, b. ca. 1900; DAVID, b. ca. 1903 (twin to Donald); DONALD (twin to David), b. ca. 1903.
xi. EZEKIEL, b. 1884/87, d. 1965 (SP, FHC), unm.

12. ARTHUR LESLIE WARD was born 24 April/August 1859 and died 22 January 1927. His wife, ELLA SUSAN, removed to reside with her Uncle Thomas residing at Raymond, IL following the death of her father. Her name was changed to ANNIE ELLA. She stayed there until 1875 when Uncle Thomas died when she removed back to Maine. She married (1st) NATHAN MANLEY WARD, son of Nathan and Betsy (Webb) Ward. Their children were LEON LEROY and MYRTIE AGNES. Manley Ward died in January 1887. (See above under Nathan Ward family). Annie married (2nd) ARTHUR WARD. At age 27, Arthur was a farmer eligible for enrollment for military duty at Thorndike in 1887, 1891, 1893[3]. (See above about agreement with cousins Albert and Charles concerning fence).

Children of Arthur and Annie (Bagley/Ward), surname Ward:

13. i. ARTHUR BURLEIGH, b. at Thorndike, 3 Sept. 1889, d. at Unity, 12 Jan. 1975; m. at Augusta, ME, 2 Aug. 1911, CORA VIVIAN ANDREWS, b. at Calument (Houghton Co.), MI, ca. 1892, d. at Waterville, 6 July 1980, dau. of WILLIAM and BESSIE ANDREWS, (ME VR, [Marriage], and SP, FHC). He was a farmer and state legislator. Arthur and Cora both bur. at Pond Cem., Unity, (SP, FHC).

ii. HEZZIE RAYMOND, b. at Thorndike, 7 Jan. 1891, d. at Waterville (Kennebec Co.), ME, 11 Feb. 1973; m. at Belfast ME., 7 Aug. 1912, GLADYS EUDORAS NICHOLS, b. 24 Feb. 1897, (ME VR, [Marriage]).

Children of Hezzie and Gladys (Nichols), surname Ward:

1. FREDERICK, b. at Thorndike, 4 June 1914; m. (1st) 20 Aug. 1939, at Augusta (Kennebec Co.), ME, FORESTINE NUTTER. Frederick was a farmer and selectman. Ch. CONRAD, b. 1941, d. at Thorndike 1949. Frederick m. (2nd) at Augusta, 30 July 1958, LILA BARTER, b. at Augusta, 4 Oct. 1921. Ch. of Frederick and Lila were: LARRY, b. 24 Feb. 1946; JUDITH ANN, b. at Waterville, ME, 23 Sept. 1953. Judith m. (1st) 27 July 1973 at Campden (Knox Co.), ME, STEVE WILLIAMS. Ch. of Judith and Steve was SERENA A., b. 1974, div. m. (2nd)___; Judith m. (3rd), IVAN A. KING, Ch. MORGAN A., b. ca. 1982.
2. NEAL, b. at Thorndike, 20 Aug. 1923; m. 20 Aug. 1945 at Augusta, VIRGINIA BERNICE CLARK, b. at Vassalboro (Kennebec Co.), ME, 4 Sept. 1922, christened at the Vasselboro Congr. Chur. Res. at Damariscotta, ME in 1996. Ret. shop teacher, real estate developer and banker. Operated a restaurant which he sold.

Children of Neal and Virginia (Clark), surname Ward:

(i). LINDA LEE, b. at Farmington, ME, 21 May 1948; m. (1st) in Congr. Church, at Newcastle (Lincoln Co.), ME, 1969, GEORGE ABBOTT, b. 1946. Ch. CHAD M., b. 1971; CORIE E. Linda m. (2nd) 21 Aug.

1987 at Middleboro (Plymouth Co.), MA. RODNEY NIEMEYER, b. 1943. She is a school teacher.

(ii). KAREN S., b. at Damariscotta (Lincoln Co.), ME, 11 Sept. 1952. m. at Newcastle, (Lincoln Co.), (1st) ROBERT REED; div.; m in Congr. Church (2nd) DOMINIC NATALE; m. (3rd) at Sydney, Australia by J.P., WARREN OSBORNE.

14. iii. CLAIR LEROY, b. at Thorndike, 20 Sept. 1901, bapt. at Montpelier (Washington Co.), VT, 20 May 1956, d. at Duxbury (Washington Co.), VT, 6 Jan. 1958; m. at Unity, 23 March 1921, SOPHIE PAULINE TOZIER, b. at Unity, 31 May 1895, d. at Wilmington, (New Hanover Co.), NC, 19 Oct. 1985. She was dau. of ARCHIBALD and ETTA AURETTA (HOPKINS) TOZIER and a school teacher. Both bur. at Pond Cem., Unity.

15. iv. LEOLA MAE, b. at Thorndike, 6 Oct. 1906, d. at Portland, ae. 89, 25 November 1995; m. at Unity, 24 June 1925, ALGER PEASLEE REYNOLDS, (ME VR, [Marriages]), b. at Burnham (Waldo Co.), ME. 15 Nov. 1905, d. at Portland, ME, 20 June 1967, both bur. in Brooklawn Mem. Pk., Portland. He was son of WILBUR ELROY and CHARLOTTE BELLE (PEASLEE) REYNOLDS. Leola's service was held at the Woodfords Congr. Chur.

13. ARTHUR BURLEIGH WARD was born at Thorndike, 3 September 1889 and married CORA VIVIAN ANDREWS.

Children of Arthur and Cora (Andrews), surname Ward:

i. FLORENCE, b. at Thorndike, 16 Feb. 1912, (ME VR, [Birth]); m. JAMES VINSON, b. at Winslow (Kennebec Co.), ME, 30 July 1911, d. at St. Petersburg, (Pinellas Co.), FL, 28 Jan. 1989, bur. Pine Grove Cem. Waterville (Kennebec Co.), ME. James was son of JAMES DOWNY and SARAH (SMALL) VINSON. Ch. JOANNE, b. at Bangor, 18 Oct. 1935; m. at Windslow, 9 June 1956, JULES E. (BUCK) PAGE, b. 12 Oct. 1935, d. 8 Aug. 1987, an engineer; HARVEY, b. at Bangor, 5 July 1942, a math teacher, m. 2 Oct. 1965, KATHERINE INMAN, b. 2 Oct. 1965. Ch. all b. at Manchester (Hartford Co.), NH: STEVEN ANTHONY, b. 26 March 1966; ANDREW JAMES, b. 17 June 1968; ROBERT JESSE, b. 10 Nov. 1969; DANIEL HARVEY, b. 19 May 1975.

Children of Jules and Joanne (Vinson), surname Page:

1. SUSAN ELLEN, b. at Bangor, 15 March 1959; m. CHRISTOPHER D. SHUTE. Ch. TYLER CHRISTOPHER, b. Feb. 1992.
2. LAUREN ANNE, b. at Manchester (Hartford Co.), CT, 29 Nov. 1961; m. ROBERT ESCHMANN.

ii. NORMAN LESLIE, b. at Thorndike, 4 Sept. 1914, (ME VR, [Births]), d. at Troy (Waldo Co.), ME, May 1978, a farmer; m. 15 Jan. 1936, MURIEL OPEL WILLIAMS, b. 2 July 1917. Ch. WAYNE BURLEIGH, b. at Thorndike, 17 Oct. 1936, served in U. S. Navy.

iii. SHELDON, b. 19 May 1918; m. FRANCES SMITH, dau. of HAROLD and LILLIE (GILMORE) SMITH (above). Sheldon served in U.S.Navy and was a farmer.

1. PETER HAVEN, b. at Portland (Cumberland Co.), ME, 27 May 1945; m. at Waterville (Kennebec Co.), ME, 29 Sept. 1962, DONNA JUNE THOMPSON, b. at Waterville, 8 June 1944, dau. of SIDNEY and VIDA

GUERRETTE THOMPSON. Donna was a secretary for Small Claims Court. (See above for ch. under Peter Haven Ward family).

Children of Peter Haven and Donna (Thompson), surname Ward:

(i). TAMMY LYNN, b. at Waterville, ME, 14 April 1963, bapt. at Winslow, ME, July 1963; m. at Winslow, 14 Aug. 1982, CHARLES WILLIAM PARADIS, JR., b. at Bath (Sagadahoe Co.), ME, 13 Aug. 1956, son of CHARLES WILLIAM and PATRICIA (BRANN) PARADIS. Tammy a self-employed maintenance person. Ch. all b. at Waterville, PETER CHARLES, b. 12 Feb. 1984; LINDSEY WARD, b. 11 Dec. 1987.

(ii). DEBRA LEE, b. at Waterville, 24 May 1965, bapt. at Waterville, June 1965, a bookkeeper; m. 5 Oct. 1985 at Salt Lake City, JOSEPH KEITH PRESCOTT, div.

(iii). ARTHUR HAROLD, b. at Waterville 2 March 1969, a bartender/waiter; m. at Winslow, 8 July 1989 MICHELE RENE FIELD, dau. of RENE and DELORES (KNOWLES) FIELD. Ch. DUSTIN ARTHUR, b. at WATERVILLE, 9 June 1989, bapt. at Windslow, July 1989; JOSHUA THOMAS, b. at Waterville, 21 Nov. 1992.

iv. LORRAINE VIVIAN, b.16 April 1928; m. 5 Sept. 1953, KARL H. McKECHNIE, JR., b.18/19 Nov. 1938.

Children of Karl and Lorraine (Ward), surname McKechnie:

1. BRADEN, b. 3 Feb. 1956; m. (1st) Aug. 1981, CATHY BLACK, b. Aug. 1981, div. in 1985; m. (2nd) 29 Nov. 1986, JULIE SALTER.

   Children of Braden and Cathy (Black), surname McKechnie:

   (i). BRADEN, JR., b. 1983. Ch. SHELBY, b. 28 Dec. 1990; KELSEY, b. 3 Aug. 1992.

2. KAREN, b. 2 Feb. 1958; m. 20 Sept. 1986, JAMES DIEHL, Ch. REBECCA, b. 30 May 1987; MICHELLE DIEHL, b. 20 Jan. 1989.
3. SCOTT, b. 7 Feb. 1962; m. SUSAN GREENLIEF, b. 7 June 1986. Ch. MATTHEW, b. 28 April 1987; AUSTIN, b. 11 Jan. 1989; COLIN, b. 1 May 1991; ALEXANDER, b. 28 Sept. 1992.

14. CLAIR LEROY WARD was born at Thorndike 20 September 1901, son of Arthur Leslie and Annie (Bagley) Ward. He was a bacteriologist-chemist.

Children of Clair Leroy and Sophie (Tozier), surname Ward:

i. CLARE EMILY, b. at Unity 24 March 1925, d. at Milford (Worchester Co.), MA, 19 Dec. 1988 bur. at Edgell Grove Cem, Framingham; m. (1st) at Framingham (Middlesex Co.), MA, 7 May 1947, WILLIAM JAMES WAUGH, JR., b. at Framingham, 21 July 1920, d. at Framingham, 6 March 1971, bur. Edgell Grove, Cem. He was a city employee; Clare m. (2nd) LEONARD CHARLES WAUGH. Clare was a secy.

Children of William and Clare (Ward), surname Waugh, all b. at Framingham (Middlesex Co.), MA:

1. CAROLEE ANN, b. 7 April 1948.
2. JOANNE CLARE, b. 24 Oct. 1950; m. HENRY, div. Ch. JASON DEAN.
3. MICHAEL JAMES, b. 14 March 1952.
4. KATHLEEN MARY, b. 22 May 1954; m. (1st) 25 Feb. 1978 at Malboro (Worcester Co.), MA, JOHN RICHARD DOWNS, b. at Edgerton (Dukes

Co.), MA, 5 May 1953, a truck driver, div. Ch. JOHN RICHARD, JR., b. at Framingham, 8 July 1979; CHAD WILLIAM, b. at Worcester, MA, 14 Aug. 1982; LINDSEY SUSAN, b. at Worcester, 13 Aug. 1984. Kathleen m. (2nd) 6 July 1991, at Bellingham, (Worcester Co.), VT, EARL ANTHONY WHITE, JR., b. at Providence (Providence Co.), RI, 19 June 1956 christened at St. Philips Church, Smithfield, RI in 1956; m. (3rd) 6 July 1991, at Bellingham (Worcester Co.) MA, EARL ANTHONY WHITE, a truck driver. Kathleen was a library assist.

5. SUSAN PATRICIA, b. 7 April 1956; m. (1st) 23 June 1984, MARK N.M.N. TRUMBLE, b. at Newton (Middlesex Co.), MA, 6 June 1957. Annul. Ch. ALICIA SUSAN, b. at Worcester, 3 Sept. 1985. Susan m.(2nd) at Malboro, MA, 24 March 1990, JAMES ALLEN HOWARD, b. at Cambridge (Middlesex Co.), MA, 10 Feb. 1963, Empl. by Raython Co.

ii. ANNETTA, b. at Unity, 14 Sept. 1927, christened at Newport, (Orleans Co.), VT, 28 March 1937, a computer operator; m. (1st) WILLIAM LANGFORD THAYER, b. at Natick (Middlesex Co.), MA, 28 Feb. 1927, a machinist, div.; m. (2nd) PETER SAMASKEAWICZ, b. at Bridgport (Fairfield Co.), CT, 18 Aug. 1931, a pipe fitter. Ch. Peter and Annetta (Ward/Thayer), surname Samaskeawicz, was MICHAEL PETER, b. 14 Oct. 1964, a McDonald's manager.

Children of William and Annetta (Ward), surname Thayer:

1. WILLIAM, b. at Natick, MA, 14 March 1947, a manager.
2. RODNEY MICHAEL, b. at Natick, 3 Nov. 1949.
3. DIANE LORRAINE, b. at Natick, 27 March 1951. A nurse; m. MATTHEW JOHNSON; Ch. MATTHEW JOHNSON b. 7 Dec. 1975; CHRISTOPHER JOHNSON, b. 6 Sept. 1978; NICHOLAS JOHNSON, b. 12 June 1980; ERWIN JOHNSON, b. 20 April 1982.
4. PETER LEROY, b. at Dallas (Dallas Co.), TX, 6 Sept. 1953. A casino dealer at Las Vegas.
5. PAULINE DOROTHY, b. at Dallas, 1 Nov. 1954, a manager.

15. LEOLA MAE WARD was born at Thorndike, 6 November 1906, daughter of Arthur Leslie and Annie (Bagley) Ward and sister of Arthur Burleigh, Hezzie Raymond and Clair Leroy Ward. Leola graduated valedictorian, class of 1923, from the Unity, ME, High School. She died in a Portland nursing home 25 November 1995, following a long illness.[4] Alger was a chemical engineer.

Children of Alger and Leola (Ward), surname Reynolds:

i. ARTHUR WARD, b. at Unity, 18 April 1927, a lumber manufacturer; m. (1st) at Falmouth Foreside (Cumberland Co.), ME, 4 Oct. 1952, PATRICIA JEAN CLEMENT, b. 3 March 1928, a secretary. Res. at Naples, FL in 1996. Ret. lumberman.

Children of Arthur and Patricia (Clement), surname Reynolds:

1. BARAK, b. at Waterville (Kennebec Co.), ME, 14 Dec. 1953, a mechanic/truck driver; m. at Presque Isle (Aroostook Co.), ME, 20 May 1988, ROBERTA HALEY, b. at Presque Isle, 12 Nov. 1953, div.
2. GLENN ARTHUR, b. at Waterville 16 Jan. 1955, mgr. retail home/lumber co.; m. (1st) at Eagle Lake, ME, 15 Jan. 1976, CAROL SHAW, b. at Eagle

Lake, 24 Aug. 1957, div.; m. (2nd) at S. Winslow (Waterford Co.), CT, 1 Sept. 1984, MARILYN OSTROWSKI, dau. of THEODORE WALTER and ROSE (BALNIUS) OSTROWSKI. Ch. MORGAN KRYSTAL, b. at Presque Isle, 4 Sept. 1985.

3. KATHLEEN ANN, b. at Portland 8 Aug. 1957; m. at Portland 28 April 1979, JEFFEY LESLIE OHMAN, b. 16 Sept. 1955. Ch. MATTHEW, b. 21 May 1983; ALYSSA MAE, b. 12 Oct. 1987.
4. PHILIP CLEMENT, b. at Eagle Lake (Aroostook Co.), ME, 28 Sept. 1959, a computer consultant; m. at Morris (Stevens Co.), MN, 30 Dec. 1994, BEVERLY ANN NELSON, b. at Morris, 10 Feb. 1958. A computer teacher, dau. of LESLIE A. and THELMA NELSON.
5. GAYLE MARIE, b. at Eagle Lake, 15 April 1961, a vet., assist. coach; m. at Rochester (Windsor Co.), VT, July 1984/6, MICHAEL HARVEY, div. in 1986.

ii. CHARLOTTE R., b. 24 Oct. 1929, worked in retail sales; m. at Portland (Cumberland Co.), ME, 4 Aug. 1951, DONALD FRANK MERRILL, b. 28 Nov. 1929, a sales manager. Res. at Portland, ME in 1996.

Children of Donald and Charlotte (Reynolds), surname Merrill:

1. STEPHEN REYNOLDS, b. at Portland, 3 Sept. 1958, a teacher/coach; m. PATRICIA ANN BOWER, b 24 Aug. 1974, a teacher/coach. Ch. GREGORY PATRICK, b. 29 March 1978; NICHOLAS REYNOLDS, b. 1 Oct. 1981; JONATHAN WILLIAM, b. 19 Aug. 1986.
2. DONNA JUNE, b. at Lewiston (Androscoggin Co.), ME, 17 April 1954, d. at Lewiston, 7 Aug.1956.
3. GARY PHILIP, b. 18 March 1956, comptroller for Hussey Manuf.; m. TINA GIARRAPUTO, b. 29 Mar. 1956; Ch. LOREY GIARRAPUTO, b. 18 Feb. 1986; CATHERINE ALEXANDRA, b. 24 Jan. 1991.
4. JULIE, b. 18 Nov. 1964, a physical therapist; m. STEWART GEORGE OSGOOD. Ch. MAXWELL LIVINGSTON, b. at Anchorage, AK, 2 April 1995.

iii. JUNE REYNOLDS, b. 23 June 1931, d. at Philadelphia, PA, 4 Oct. 1992, a medical secretary; m. at Portland, ME, 7 Aug. 1954, BERNARD FRANCIS FILIPPONE, b. at Narberth (Philadelphia Co.), PA, 16 March 1931, son of FRANK and FILOMONA FILIPPONE. Bernard served in U.S. Navy, and was a stock broker.

Children of Frank and June (Reynolds), surname Filippone:

1. BRADLEY WARD, b. at Bryn Mawr (Montgomery Co.), PA, 27 Feb. 1956, christened at Archdiocese of Phila. in 1956. A physicist; m. 2 Oct. 1982, LAURI JANE EISENSMITH, a computer programmer. Ch. EMILY ROSE, b. 16 Feb. 1989; LUCIA ALEXANDRIA, b. 20 Sept. 1990. Both. b. at Pasedena, (Los Angeles Co.), CA and both bapt. at Lutheran Mem. Church, York (York Co.), PA, 22 Dec. 1991.
2. SUSANNE REYNOLDS, b. at Bryn Mawr, 29 May 1958, bapt. at Archdiocese of Phila. A patient service coordinator; m. DANIEL VINCENT TITUS, b. at Brooklyn (Kings Co.), NY, 15 Aug. 1956, a network administrator.
3. CHRISTINE AUBLANDRA, b. 12 Nov. 1966.

iv. MARILYN R., b. at Winthrop (Suffolk Co.), MA, 8 July 1933, a bank customer service rep.; m. 18 Nov. 1956, DAVID WHYMAN POWERS, b. at Portland, ME, 11 July 1929, d. at Wheaton (DuPage Co.),Il, 21 July 1972, bur. at

Evergreen Cem., Portland, ME, son of FREDERICK and HAZEL (GRIFFIN) POWERS. A civil eng. and lawyer. Marilyn res. at Naples, FL in 1996.
Children of David and Marilyn (Reynolds), surname Powers:

1. MICHAEL DAVID, b. at Park Forest (Cook Co.), IL, 11 Nov. 1957. MBA, CPA, empl. by Gen. Mills.
2. ARLENE KAREN, b. at Wheaton (DuPage Co.), IL, 28 Aug. 1960, bapt. at Methodist Church, Wheaton. Exec. assist. to pres. of Kemper.
3. SHARON ELAINE, b. at Elmhurst (DuPage Co.), IL, 9 Nov. 1962, bapt. at Methodist Chur., Wheaton; m. ca. 1982, MICHAEL D. GENTILE, b. in 1952, div. 1989. Ch. MICHAEL DAVID, b. at DeKalb Co., IL, 18 March 1982.
4. SUSAN LOUISE, b. at Elmhurst Co., 19 Nov. 1962, bapt. at Methodist Chur., Wheaton, IL; m. (1st) at Riverside (Riverside Co.), CA, TROY JOHN NUCKOLS, div. 1990. Ch. DAVID TROY, b. 6 Aug. 1989; m. (2nd) at Bonita Springs (Lee Co.), FL, 10 Dec. 1994, JEFFREY MICHAEL BOWERS, b. 5 Jan. 1961. Ch. JEFFREY DANIELS, b. at Naples (Collier Co.), FL, 12 Sept. 1994.

v. ALGER PEASLEY (JACK), JR., b. at N. Beverly (Essex Co.), ME, 4 May 1935; m. (1st) at Portland, 24 Aug. 1957, AUDREY JEAN BURKE, b. 17 Oct. 1935, div. Ch. CAROLINE FRANCES, b. at Portland, 12 Oct. 1962, bapt. 12 May 1963, a merchandising person at L.L. Bean, Portland; MARK VICTOR, b. at Portland, 8 June 1963, bapt. 24 Nov. 1963, a chemical engineer, m. at Silver Springs (Montgomery Co.), MD, 9 June 1990, DENISE ANN CELIO, b. 8 Aug. 1965, dau. of ROBERT JOSEPH and ROSALIE ANN (PAPA) CELIO. Denise is a quality assurance trainer. Alger m. (2nd) at Folktson (Charlton Co.), GA, 22 Oct. 1983, JANET MERLENE HADLOCK, b. at Morrisville, VT, 17 May 1933, bapt. there in 1941, dau. of HOWARD and IVE (COLE) HADLOCK. Janet is a travel agent. Res. at Westerville, OH in 1996.

vi. RITA, b. at N. Beverly, (Essex Co.), MA, 2 Sept. 1941, bapt. there at 2nd Congr. Church. A dental hygenist.; m. 9 June 1968, RICHARD HUBBARD STEELE, b. at Holden (Worcester Co.) MA 5 Feb. 1932, son of KENNETH HENDERSON and ETHEL (BROOKS) STEELE. Richard ret. from U. S. Navy, res. at Concord, CA in 1996.
Children of Richard and Rita (Reynolds), surname Steele:

1. DANIEL ARTHUR, b. at Portsmouth (Isle of Wight Co.), VA, 31 May 1963, bapt. at Woodfords Congr. Church, Portland, ME in 1964, a technical writer; m. 24 June 1990, JOAN IRIS LEVIN. Ch. BRYAN ANDREW, b. at San Jose (Santa Clara Co.), CA, 12 June 1991.
2. ERIC KENNETH, b. at Portsmouth, VA, 1 Dec. 1965, bapt. at Navy Chapel, Aug. 1967; m. at Monterey, CA, 24 June 1990, KIMBERLY MARIE ST. LAURENT, b. at Sanford (York Co.), ME, 8 June 1967, bapt. at Sanford, 9 Jan. 1968, dau. of ROLAND and DONNA (LYNN) ST. LAURENT. Eric is a heating and a/c tech.
   Children of Eric and Donna (Laurent), surname Steele:
   (i). CHELSEA LYNN, b. at Walnut Creek (Costa Co.), CA, 14 Feb. 1988, bapt. at Walnut Creek, 8 Jan. 1993.
   (ii). CURTIS RICHARD, b. at Walnut Creek, 24 July 1989, bapt. there, 8 Jan. 1993.
3. KAREN PATRICIA, b. at Portsmouth (Newport Co.), RI, 3 March 1971, bapt. at Woodford's Congr. Church, Portland, ME, April 1971.

Part II

Abijah and Mary (Wilson) Ward, of Hingham, MA and China, ME

Although the Pilgrims had a weak patent and a weak financial position because of the lack of powerful patrons in England, the new colonies were judged purely on a business risk so ships were sent for quick profit. Additional people, livestock and supplies were shipped over gradually. As Boston and the Plymouth Colony both grew, the demand for food and goods such as cattle, timber and tar increased. Expansion was essential to accommodate the increased population.

When the title on Indian lands was clear in 1637/38, the Court sent JOHN ALDEN and Capt. MYLES STANDISH to the Cape Cod town of Sandwich to "set forth bounds of lands granted by Bradford." This opened up trade avenues for the area. Sandwich would receive from Boston such as fox, deer, calf, kid, racoon, skins, butter, beeswax, tar, oysters, wheat, pork, barley, corn, kettles, lamps, sieve, razors, earthen plots, platters, tools, compasses, hour glasses, silver, hairpins, silver buttons, pewter, sheer cotton, ribbons, silk, chairs, oars, hinges, grindstones and warming pads. The ship merchants handled most of the goods, but the captains could carry materials for their own account.[5]

The Ward families were early of Hingham and nearby Sandwich. Two from Hingham are listed below briefly, who removed to the District of Maine. NEHEMIAH[4] WARD removed to Yarmouth and one of his sons HABAJAH[5] (ABIJAH) went to China.

SAMUEL,[1](JOHN[A]) WARD, son of John, of Stratford, (Suffolk Co.), England, was born in England in 1593 and died in 1682 (Torrey, New England Marriages Prior to 1700). Had grant at Lower Plain 1636. Freeman, 9 March 1636/7. Rep. November 1637; 2nd town clerk at Hingham 1646; 1st wife___ married probably in Eng. she died at Hingham 28 November 1638. 2nd wife, FRANCES (PITCHER) RECROFT, born 1607, died 10 June 1690 ae. 83 at Bumkins' or Ward's Island off Hingham Harbor. He may have resided at Charleston 1658/1677, died there 31 August 1682 ae. 89. Child Henry born ca. 1635. (Lincoln 3:274-277).

HENRY[2] (Samuel[1]. Samuel[A]), born 1635, died 4 April 1715, ae. 80 (Torrey, *New England Marriages Prior to 1700*); married at Hingham, 3 February 1659-60 (Lincoln 2:15), REMEMBER FARROW, born and bapt. at Hingham August 1642 (Lincoln, 2:215), dau. of JOHN and FRANCES FARROW, d. 11 Sept. 1715, ae. 73. Res. Fort Hill St. (Lincoln, 3:275).

Children of Henry and Remember (Farrow), surname Ward:

i. ELIZABETH[3], b. at Hingham, 26 Aug. 1663, d. ae. 78, 9 Nov. 1741 (Lindoln, 3:275); m. 18 June 1685, JAMES GARNET, b. at Hingham, 4 Feb. 1659/60, d., ae. 66, 28 Dec. 1726, son of JOHN and MARY GARDNER. (Lincoln, 2:243). Ch. JAMES, HENRY, JOSEPH, ELIZABETH, NATHANIEL. Res. Liberty Plain, S. Hingham.
ii. DEBORAH, b. 6 Nov. 1664.
16. iii. HENRY[3], b. 20 Sept. 1666.
17. iv. JOHN[3], b. 14 Nov. 1668, d. 9 Feb. 1758, ae. 89.
v. FRANCES, b. 16 Feb. 1670/71.
18. vi. EDWARD[3] (HENRY[3]), b. at Hingham, 24 July 1672, d. 24 Feb. 1702; m. DEBORAH LANE, b. 1679, d. 1716.
vii. NATHAN, b. 23 Oct. 1675.
viii. SAMUEL, b. 15 Nov. 1678, int JAEL BEAL, b. 21 Nov. 1683, dau. of JEREMIAH and HANNAH (LANE) BEAL, pub. 16 Sept. 1710.
ix. REMEMBER, b. 18 March 1680-81.
19. x. BENJAMIN[3], b. 3 March 1682/83.
xi. JOSEPH, b. 4 Sept. 1684.
xii. DAVID, b. 9 Oct. 1690, d. ae. 2 wks.

16. HENRY[3], (Henry[2], Samuel[1], John[A]), was born 20 Sept. 1666, and died 6 July 1733, ae. 67. He married at Hingham, 25 May 1694,[6] RUTH BAILEY[6] who died 7 Nov. 1745, ae. 75. He was constable 1710. They resided on High St.

Children of Henry and Ruth (Bailey), surname Ward:

i. RUTH[4], b. 6 March 1694/5; m. (pub. 16 Oct. 1714) SAMUEL BATES, of Wey. (Lincoln, 2:50).
ii. REMEMBER, b. 5 May 1697, d. ae. 5 dys.
iii. ELIZABETH, b. 22 June 1698, d. unm., 8 Feb. 1748/49, ae. 51.
iv. MARY, b. 31 July 1700; m. (pub. 13 Nov. 1725) THOMAS MANSFIELD.
v. RACHEL, b. 19 Nov. 1702, m. 21 Nov. 1722 JOHN WHITMARSH of Wey.
vi. LYDIA, b. 15 June 1705; m. (1st) 26 March 1728, JACOB LINCOLN, widower; m. (2nd) 29 April 1730 JOSHUA JOHNSON (Lincoln, 3:385).
20. vii. HENRY, b. 10 Aug. 1709.

17. JOHN[3] (HENRY[2], SAMUEL[1], JOHN[A]), was born at Hingham, 14 November 1668 and married at Hingham/Weymouth, 24 May 1698[7], HANNAH BEAL, born at Hingham, 13 March 1675/76, and died 15 February 1698/99, ae. 23.[7] She was a daughter of JOHN and MARY (GILL) BEAL. John died probably at Wey, 9 Feb. 1758, ae. 89 yrs.

Child of John and Hannah (Beal), surname Ward:

i. HANNAH, b. 2 Feb. 1698/9, d. 13 July 1794, ae. 95; m. (1st) (pub. 18 Sept. 1725), SAMUEL BATES of Wey; m. (2nd) 26 Nov. 1753, JOSHUA TORREY, of Wey.

18. EDWARD[3] (Henry[2], Samuel[1], John[A]) was baptized at Hingham 24 July 1672; married (1st) 24 February 1702/03 DEBORAH LANE, born at Hingham,

21 November 1679[8], died 3 July 1716, ae. 37, daughter of JOSIAH and DEBORAH (GILL) LANE. Edward married (2nd) 25 February 1730/31 ABIGAIL THAXTER, born at Hingham 8 February 1684/85, daughter of SAMUEL and DEBORAH (LINCOLN) THAXTER. Resided on High St.

Children of Edward and Deborah (Lane), surname Ward:

21. i. EDWARD[4], b. 4 Feb. 1703/4.
ii. JOSIAH, b. 13 Nov. 1705.
22. iii. NEHEMIAH[4], b. 26 Nov. 1708, int. 22 June 1728, DEBORAH BRYANT. (Lincoln, 2:96).
iv. DEBORAH, b. 7 March 1710/11; m. 2 March 1750/51, SOLOMON LORING, a widower.

19. BENJAMIN[3], (Henry,[2] Samuel[1], John[A]), was born at Hingham 3 March 1682/83 and married 11 May 1710 SUSANNA FEARING, born at Hingham, 1 August 1689 and died 19 February 1751/52, ae. 63. They resided on High St. She was daughter of JOHN and HANNAH (BEAL) FEARING.[9]

Children of Benjamin and Susanna (Fearing), surname Ward:

i. SUSANNA, b. 16 Feb. 1710/11; m. 12 Dec. 1727, EDWARD WARD.
ii. SARAH, b. 26 Aug 1713, d. at Hingham, 23 Jan. 1784: m. 1 Dec. 1731, EBENEZER HUMPHREY.

Children of Ebenezer and Sarah (Ward), surname Humphrey:

1. MARY; m. 13 March 1765, ZEBUBBABEL HERSEY (his 2nd), (Lincoln, 2:304).
2. HANNAH, b. at Hingham, 22 Oct.1735, d. 18 July 1817, ae. 82; m. 27 March 1755, JAPHET HOBART, b. at Hingham, 28 Oct. 1727, d. 17 Jan. 1822, ae. 94. A "Mariner." Res. North St. near Gould's Bridge. (Lincoln, 2:342).
3. SUSANNA, b. 11 Nov. 1737, d. ae. 64, 1 Dec. 1801; m. 9 Dec. 1751, JAMES LINCOLN, b. at Hingham, 23 July 1731, d. 16 May 1804, ae. 73. A constable in 1769 and Capt. in a military co. during Rev. War. Res. South St., Hingham. (Lincoln, 2:480).

20. HENRY,[4] (Henry[3-2], Samuel[1], John[A]), was born at Hingham, 10 August 1709, and died 5 May 1777, ae. 68; married 11 November 1751, MARY WATERMAN, who was born at Hingham, 17 May 1733, and died 9 June 1776, ae. 43. She was daughter of THOMAS and MARY (BEAL) WATERMAN. They resided on Fort Hill St.

Children of Henry and Mary (Waterman), surname Ward:

i. MARY[5] b. 19 Aug. 1752, d. 15 Feb. 1779, ae. 27.
ii. HANNAH, b. 16 Nov. 1754, d. 25 June 1781, ae. 27.
iii. BANI, b. 8 May 1756, d. 16 June 1785, ae. 29.
(All three of Henry and Mary's children died of consumption).

21. EDWARD[4] (Edward[3], Henry[2], Samuel[1], John[A]), was born at Hingham, 1703/04. He married 12 December 1727, SUSANNA WARD, who was born at Hingham, 16 February 1710/11, daughter of BENJAMIN and SUSANNA

(FEARING) WARD. Edward was constable in 1737 and one of Louisburg soldiers in 1745. He was a church deacon. They resided on High St.

Children of Edward and Susanna (Ward), surname Ward: all b. at Hingham:

i. SUSANNA[5], b. 1 Nov. 1733; m. 24 May 1769 MALACHI TOWER, widower.
ii. FEARING, b. 12 Aug. 1736, d. Nov. 1748.
iii. MOSES, b. 12 March 1738/39, d. 22 March 1807, ae 68.
iv. BENJAMIN[5] (Edward[4-3], Henry[2], Samuel[1]), b. at Hingham, 12 Jan. 1741/42; m. 6 June 1761, RACHEL TOWER, b. at Hingham, 12 Jan. 17 41/42, d. 24 April 1798, ae. 56, dau. of DANIEL and SILENCE (GROCE) TOWER.
Child of Benjamin and Rachel (Tower), surname Ward:
1. EDWARD[6] (Benjamin[5],Edward[4-3], Henry[2], Samuel[1]), b. 1762, d. 3 July 1797 ae. 28 yrs; m. 28 Feb. 1793 ABIGAIL CURTIS, bapt. 6 Jan. 1771, dau. of JOB and ABIGAIL (BEAL) CURTIS. Son, Edward, bapt. 31 May 1795.
v. DEBORAH, bapt. 15 Dec. 1745.

22. NEHEMIAH[4] (Edward,[3] Henry,[2], Samuel,[1] John[A]), was born Hingham, 26 November 1708 and married (pub. 22 June 1728), DEBORAH BRYANT. He removed to N. Yarmouth, ME[10].

Children of Nehemiah and Deborah (Bryant), surname Ward: all bpt. at Hingham

i. LEMUEL, b. 7 Sept. 1729.
ii. DEBORAH, b. 1 March 1730/31.
23. iii. HABIJAH[5] (ABIJAH), bpt. 28 Jan. 1732/33, rem. to China, ME. (See below for a brief listing of his descendants).
iv. MARY, b. 15 Sept. 1739, d. 3 March 1760.
v. SARAH, b. 29 July 1744.
vi. THOMAS, b. 29 July 1744.
vii. RUTH, b. 30 Nov. 1746.

23. The Abijah Ward family removed to Maine from Hingham, MA, rather than from Eastham, MA. They removed to China and Vassalboro, ME around 1781/82. Below is a summary of this family's history.

Descendants of Abijah[5] and Mary (Wilson) Ward (Briefly tracing the descendants to Raymond Ward)

1. SAMUEL[2], b. 15 Nov. 1773, d. 1858; m. EUNICE CLARK, dau. of EDMUND CLARK. b. 3 Oct. 1770, d. June 1845.
2. RANDALL[3], b. 1809, d. in Canada, 1849; m. 30 Dec. 1833, ELIZABETH FOWLES, b. 1811, d. 1887.
3. EDWIN A.[4], b.10 Oct. 1847, d. 16 April 1922; m. (1st) 1 Jan. 1874, ESTHER JONES, b. 4 Nov. 1834, d. 14 Aug. 1878; m. (2nd) CLARA HASKELL, b. 1861.
4. WILLIS[5], b. 7 Oct. 1875, d. 18 March 1951, son of Edwin and Esther; m. 26 Oct. 1920, ELIZABETH FISH, b. 15 March 1888, d. 10 Aug. 1966.
5. RAYMOND[6], b. 8 Oct. 1924; m. PATRICIA KEARNE, b. in England, 25 April 1927. An electrical engineer and retired Captain in the U.S.Navy, a consultant for the Navy at Norfolk, VA. Res. at Fairfax, VA in 1996. Has a summer cottage at China, ME. Ch. SUSAN HAMILTON, b. 18 Oct. 1950; PATRICIA ANNE, b. 6 Aug. 1952; MICHAEL RAYMOND, b. 29 Oct. 1961.

Part III

Josiah[1] and Deborah (Bates) Ward

JOSIAH WARD was born at Hingham, MA, 5 May 1747 and died probably before 1 May 1817, aged 70. He married 7 December 1767, DEBORAH BATES, a fifth generation descendant of EDWARD BATES of Weymouth, MA.

Josiah was one of the earliest settlers of the Jones Plantation (Harlem, Kennebec Co., ME), arriving there in 1774/75/76, probably about the same time as his cousin, Abijah Ward, was there. Josiah built the first frame house in town. He settled just north of the Abraham Burrell place.

At the first town meeting of the new town of Harlem, 28 March 1796, Josiah was elected surveyor of highways and elected selectman in 1797/8 and 1801. He was one of the selectmen to provide a "beef ox" to Capt. Fletcher's company to Wiscasset to meet a threatened British landing in September 1814. Josiah was paid five shillings a week to take care of a pauper negro, "Jack," as was the custom to compensate substantial citizens for this service.

Children of Josiah[1] and Deborah (Bates), surname Ward:

i. JOSIAH[2], JR., b. 1777/78. Selectman 1807-1812 and 1814-1817. Town treasurer 1805-1817. He was replaced as selectman, 1 May 1817 by John Doe and by John Weeks as treasurer on the same date. He was now ae.40 in 1817 the same year his father died.

ii. JONATHAN; m. (1st), 21 Feb. 1799, EUNICE LORD, of Vassalboro, ME. Ch. ROXANNBE, b. 1829, d. 1896. Eunice m. (2nd), 24 Aug. 1806, JOHN MARDEN (PALMERO).

iii. NEHEMIAH[2], b. 1875; m. 10 Nov. 1898, POLLY (MARY) LINN (WINSLOW). Ch. NATHANIEL[3], b.1813, d. 30 June 1855; m. 14 Feb. 1832, BETSY BREWSTER.

Children of Nehemiah[2] and Betsy (Brewster) Ward:

1. EMILY[3], b. 1834.

24. 2. EZRA, b. 1836, d. 1909; m. 1853, SYLTANY ANDREWS (THOMASTON), b. 1836, d. 11 April 1925.

3. ELISHA, b. 1840/9, twin to John.

4. JOHN, b.1840/9, twin in Elisha.

5. RENEVILLE, b. 1842.

24. EZRA[4] WARD, son of Nehemiah and Betsy (Brewster) Ward was born in 1836 and married Sultany Thomaston.

Children of Ezra and Syltany (Andrews), surname Ward:

i. ADA R., b. 1854, d. 1938; m. (1st) HERBERT HASKELL; m. (2nd), HENRY MELVIN, a Civil War vet.; m. (3rd) THOMAS NORTON.

ii. SANFORD[5] N., b. 1 July 1856, d. 1919; m. NELLIE___. Ch. STELLA, m. EARLIN GROVER. Ch. of Stella and Earlin, ERLINE GROVER.

iii. WALTER[5] JOHN, b. 1859, d. at Augusta, ME, 1937; m. (1st) ALICE AMES, d. 1926, div 1899; m. (2nd) 1902, ELIZABETH WELLS, b. 1865, d. 1902; m. (3rd) MARIAH BRADFORD, after 1917.
Children of Walter and Alice (Ames), surname Ward:
1. HARRY[6] W., b. 1881, d. 1918; m. at Dorchester, England, BERTHA JORDAN. Ch. HARRY, b. 1902; PANSY, b. 1905, d. 1977; LEOLA b. 1907, d. 1972; DORIS, b. 1910; NERTHYNE, b. 1915; WALTER, b. 1917.
2. ALBERT E., b. 1889, d. 1963; m. AMELIA SCHIMEK, b. in Austria, 10 July 1890, d. 1976.
Children of Albert and Amelia (Schimek), surname Ward:
(i). VALERIE[7] ALICE, b. 18 Feb. 1917; m. 1939 PATRICK J. FINNEGAN, b. 1912.
Children of Patrick and Valerie (Ward), surname Finnegan:
(1). PATRICIA, b. 28 Jan. 1941.
(2). ALICE, b. 28 May 1945; m. KEHOE IRELAND. Ch. BRENTON, b. 3 Dec. 1970; DEARMUIT, b. 17 Aug. 1972.
(ii). EVELYN[7] MARIE, b. 1 Jan. 1921; m. 30 May 1944, ALBERT C. ALTHERN, b. 22 May 1921, d. 10 Aug. 1983.
Children of Albert and Evelyn (Ward), surname Althern:
(1). ALBERT[8] WARD, b. 27 April 1945.
(2). RONALD CHARLES, b. 9 MAY 1947; m. ___. Ch. RONALD CHARLES, II, b. 16 Feb.1978.
(3). BEVERLY MARIA, b. 8 Dec. 1951; m. PETER A. MAIRS. Ch. PETER ALLEN, JR., b. 19 Sept. 1971; SUZANNE, b. 8 Jan. 1974.
3. ALICE[6], b. at Providence, RI, 1912.

Notes for Chapter 6
Part I

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Source of the Josiah Ward family was Mrs. Evelyn Althern (7th generation descendant of Josiah Ward, Jr.) and the late Nelson Ward (7th generation descendant to Abijah Ward, Jr.).

Part III

Thorndike VR, 2:187 authority for enrollment as in "Lists of persons living in the Town of Thorndike, County of Waldo, who are liable to enrollment in the Militia of Maine, under Public Laws of 1893, as amended in 1899 and 1901." It appears that minors aged 18 and 19 were not eligible to serve but were listed, and the maximum age the men were called was 44.

All VR references are to Town of Thorndike, ME; g.s. references are to E. Thorndike Cemetery.

A large volume listing marriages in Waldo County may be helpful to researchers on persons, including Wards, is owned by the NEHGS, Boston.

Elizabeth M. Mosher and Isabel Morse Maresh, transcribers *Marriage Records of Waldo County, Maine Prior to 1892,*(Campden, ME: Picton Press), 1990.

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Two helpful publications in the study of Hingham, China and this family are found in Marion Thurlow Van Strein, ed. pub., *China, Maine Bicentennial History*, Book I History Book by Mary M. Grewm Ph.D., II Genealogy, copy owned by Raymond Ward, of Fairfax, VA.; and in George Lincoln, *History of the Town of Hingham, MA,* Vols. II, III, (Somersworth, MA: New England History Press, reprinted 1982).

CHAPTER 7

John and Hannah (Wiley) Ward at Gorham, Maine

A study of the settlement of the Province of Maine where the barren, poor land and cold weather apart from the coast added to the hardship of the winters. What would attract settlers from a better life at the Cape? The question is raised: "Why would anyone want to settle way up there?"

Several reasons for the settlement in Maine are clear. Some are:

1. In order to pay for the expensive King Philip's War, The Massachusetts Colony, short of cash, conducted lotteries so soldiers may receive land in payment for their military services during this war.
2. Martha's Vineyard, Cape Cod, as did The Plymouth Colony earlier, were becoming over-populated, and some people dreamed of new opportunities elsewhere.[1]
3. Massachusetts sold vast tracts of land to speculators to raise money and promote expansion. These patentees, who gained land in Maine from the king, needed settlers to clear the farm land so their properties would increase in value and be sold at a profit.
4. The British blockade of the coast interrupted the whaling industry reducing employment and revenues along the New England coast creating the need for the inhabitants to move elsewhere for a livelihood.
5. After the Revolutionary War, people believed they had fought for the right of settling new, virgin land which would give them new opportunities to develop farms and to pass these farms on to their children.

Before we locate the Wards in Gorham, let us look further at living and economic conditions in the wilderness of Maine in its very early stages of development. Two members of the Plymouth Colony, Sir Ferinando Gorges and Captain John Mason were granted land between the Merrimack and Kennebec Rivers in 1622. Gorges took the Province of Maine in 1629 when this land was divided. Also claiming the area were the French with whom the Indians sided during the French and Indian War from 1639 to 1759.

A deterrent toward settling the Maine area was the difficulty in travel due to poor roads. Maine suffered severe damage during the Revolutionary War. During the War of 1812, the British captured several coastal Maine cities. The Aroostook War brought about 10,000 troops in the area in 1838-1839, although no actual fighting took place.[1]

While it appears that the proprietors' patents did not cover the immediate Gorham area, it is evident that they must have had a vast influence upon the settlers around this area. The major claims between 1629 and 1632, granted by the Council for New England of Charles I, covered most of mid-Maine which

included four miles on both sides of Androscoggin River (Pejepscot Proprietors), 15 miles each side of Kennebec River (Plymouth Patent) and between Medomas and Penobscot Rivers (Waldo patent).

These proprietors wanted the settlers to develop the land, improve the farms and thus increase its value for later resale at a profit. Their concern was that lumbering would deprive the land. The farmers, they thought, were failing to work as diligently and efficiently as possible and wanted to drive out those whom they believed were unfit to work the land for commercial redemption.

The proprietors believed that 160 acres of land was sufficient for any settler. It took a man two weeks to clear five acres of land. The farmers, on the other hand, wanted to develop their farms and pass on their freehold prosperity and status to their children. The wilderness, isolation, infestations, crop damages by the severe climate, frosts and short growing seasons made living and working very hard. Cash was scarce. Wolves preyed on the sheep. Bears attacked the livestock and ate the corn. Grasshoppers, black flies and mosquitoes added to the hardships of living.

But the farmers wanted to be independent producers, free from proprietors. To acquire cash for taxes (there were many pleas for abated taxes during the 1770's and early 1790's) farmers would make shingles, baskets, and brooms. They would work in sawmills, hunt moose, deer and beaver during the cold winters.[2] Clearing land was important. The sawmills produced boards, planks, clapboards, staves, shingles, house frames and masts for ship's timber for market.

Farmers believed they had fought the revolution to obtain free access to wilderness land. Had they been betrayed by their rulers? It was more than a struggle for national independence. When the proprietors sold their land, they asked $4 to $7 per acre. The farmers moved away when the price got that large, they left and cleared more land.[3]

Sawmills had an early influence in the development of Maine. Employment, trade, and lumber for construction was furnished by these mills which were built near locations of waterpower and water transportation. In 1771, proprietors offered "two settling lots" in Turner, ME to those who would build a sawmill. Daniel Briggs removed to Turner six years later in 1777. By 1790 there were 150 such sawmills in Maine. So the proprietors wanted people to settle, improve lands and provide work force.[4]

Gorham, Maine's booming business during the Civil War was the manufacture of gunpowder. The Gorham-Windham Powder Mills, located at Gambo Falls on the Presumpscot River, furnished more than one quarter of the gunpowder used in the Civil War by the national government. While the people were happy that war was over, the drop in gunpowder business caused the panic of 1873. By 1877 and 1878 the gunpowder business was booming again

furnishing the Russian government for gunpowder during its Russo-Turkish War. Earlier in 1854-56 Gorham furnished powder to Russia during the Crimean War.

In 1872 Oriental Powder Mills purchased the powder plant at Gorham. The Industrial Census of 1880 reported that 10-hour days were worked by the skilled laborers who averaged $2.00 per day with $1.50 per day for the ordinary worker. Forty six men were killed in explosions during the period between 1828 and 1904 at the powder mill. The gunpowder plant at Gambo covered a tract of about 500 acres. Twenty five explosions occurred during 1856 and 1904 with much loss of life during accidents.[5]

Many flourishing industries prospered at Windham utilizing the several waterfalls on the Presumpscot River. These industries included sawmills, shingle mills, carding machines, a clothier's mill, woolen cloth manufacturing, a chair making factory, keg manufacturing, grist mills, blacksmith shops, numerous groceries, taverns and tanneries. The Cumberland and Oxford Canal was essential in moving merchandise to Portland. Numerous steamboats cruised Sebago carrying sightseeing passengers who enjoyed the sights of this great waterway. Some were sidewinders like the "Sebago" which was launched in 1871 at a cost of $8,000 to carry 400 passengers. Just two years later, in 1873, this vessel was destroyed by fire at the old Bridgton Landing. Albion King Parris Ward, who was a son of George and Sarah (Babb) Ward and born 25 November 1829, was part owner of the excursion steamer, "The Undine," which also cruised the Sebago Lake.[5]

"Big stretch of water," was the name given to the enchanting body of water by the Indians that we know as Sebago Lake. It is one of the beautiful watersheds in New England. As the Indian travelled from Canada to the Atlantic coast he used Sebago as hunting grounds and playgrounds on the way. Evidences of Indian camping grounds have been discovered on the Windham side of the big lake.

Sea salmon which came up the Presumpscot River to Sebago Lake was speared and used by the Indian both for fresh food and was saved for future use by the smoking process. Therein became the problem with the Indians and the whites. Col. Thomas Westbrook of Saccarappa (for whom the city of Westbrook is named) built the first dam of the Presumpscot River. Chief Polin soon discovered that this dam was preventing the salmon from moving farther up the river. He walked to Boston with some followers and protested to Gov. Shirley: thusly,

> "Our goodly river you have dammed which yielded us fine salmon and other fish. Here from ancient time our people have hunted deer, the moose, and the beaver. It is our country where our fathers died, where ourselves and our

children were born. We are told that our country spreading far away from the sea is passing away to you forever. I say you have no right to it."[6]

The Baptists recognized the spiritual needs of this growing state. By 1804 there were 63 Baptist churches in Maine with 3,329 members. The Massachusetts Baptist Missionary Society was organized in Boston 26 May 1802. Since the District of Maine was one of the "Gospel Mission" targets, an organized missionary effort was begun to build new churches, while The Maine Baptist Convention was organized in East Winthrop, ME in 1824 to assist feeble and destitute churches. Now the two societies were working against each other so it was necessary to merge both groups. This was done 18 February 1828.[7] Religion was becoming an important factor in Maine as it did with the early settlers at Plymouth and Cape Cod.

Since the Methodists had no church building and the town voted that "it had no objection," the Methodist Society in Gorham, Buxton and Standish was incorporated in 1808. The religious order of Shakers, active in Gorham between 1784 and 1815, practiced their worship with much shaking and dancing. When members joined the society they signed their property over to the Community of Shakers. In 1839 a Baptist Church was erected at White Rock.

The Law required inhabitants of Gorham to pay a ministerial tax to support a learned, orthodox Congregational minister. This tax was objectionable to the Baptists who preferred supporting a minister of their choice and on numerous occasions petitioned the town of Gorham to abate this tax for them. McLellan, *History of Gorham*, mentions several Baptist denominations such as Free Will Baptist Church and Anabaptist Society in Gorham.

On 22 June 1803 the General Court of Massachusetts passed an act incorporating the First Baptist Society of Standish. This religious society was empowered to take in members whom the minister or clerk of the society would issue certificates so that the persons would be relieved from taxes assessed by the First Parish Church. These certificates were filed with the clerk of the town. This new church was located at Chadbourne's Landing. Jonathan Ward was among those listed in the act and was entitled with his family all of the privileges to which other parishes were entitled.[8] A Free Will Baptist Church was organized at Steep Falls 21 February 1847.[9]

Narraganset Township No.7, now Gorham, ME, was assigned by lot 17 October 1733 to grantees who were resident of Barnstable, Yarmouth, Eastham, Sandwich, Plymouth, Tisbury, Abington and Duxbory. Grantees for this township were selected in Boston 6 June 1733, including Shubel Gorham, Jr. from Barnstable, for his father - his father being one of a committee chosen to manage township affairs.

Capt. John Gorham and Jabez Gorham were among those selected from Yarmouth. John and Daniel Doan were among those selected from Eastham. It is probable that Joseph Ward received property in Gorham from the Doans through marriage. The John Ward name taken from Ledger Accounts of Treasurer John Hull, dated Cambridge 24 December 1676, does not appear to be related to John Ward of Gorham.[9] (See appendix D for more information on King Philip's War relating to assigning property in Maine).

In 1821 the Cumberland and Oxford Canal Corporation was granted a charter from the Maine legislature. The boats carried passengers, farm products, pine timber and other wood products to Portland on the Presumpscot River. It allowed no night traffic after 9 P.M. and was inoperable in the winter. In 1852 Great Falls was prospering. Mills, a chair factory and the canal provided employment. It was the best year for the C & O Canal, but it was foreclosed by the bank in 1859 since the railroads began operation three years earlier taking much of the business away from the canal. The last boat using the canal was in 1879.

Probably President Jefferson and his government did not realize the importance that the Louisiana purchase would make on the nation. Certainly emigration to the uncharted and vast western land caused much excitement among population of the new nation. But in Massachusetts the expansion was north eastward towards the District of Maine. In three years towns grew from ten in 1802 to 31 in 1804 and prosperity brought out by industry-manufacturing, ship-building gave an encouraging look upon the area.

A principle of English common law stated that a municipality was responsible for the conduct and support of its individuals. Should a citizen become unable to support himself the town was responsible for his support. As early as the 1630's Massachusetts laws controlled this responsibility by refusing to grant them land and prohibited others from selling land to them. Because of the great number of people moving between the colonies, the town warned newcomers to depart within a certain period of time and the towns claimed no responsibility of their support. This period of time was extended to one year in 1700. The first "warnings out" or "warnings to depart" was issued in volume one of the Cumberland County Commissioners Records in 1762, a photocopy of which is owned by the Registrar of Deeds at Portland. No names of Wards were listed in this first warning.[10]

John and Hannah (Wiley) Ward at Gorham

JOHN[3] WARD (Joseph[2], George[1]), was born at Eastham, Cape Cod, MA 18 March 1750 and died at Gorham, ME 6 September 1831 at the age of 81[11]. He married 11 January 1770, HANNAH WILEY, at Wellfleet, Barnstable Co.,

MA. John and Joseph Ward, probably first cousins, removed to Gorham which was located in District of Maine of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. His mode of transportation in this difficult time would be interesting to surmise. It appears he had a choice of two methods of travel with his family and possessions: the long Kennebunk Trail between Boston and Portland and thence westward to Gorham travelling by foot and covered wagon or gambling "seasickness" by sailing inexpensively on a small "wood coasting" vessel. This vessel would be carrying lumber and firewood from Penobscot County, Maine to the "tree-starved" Cape. The boat captains were anxious to pick up the extra passengers and revenue of the return voyage to Maine.[13] The settlers went north in family groups, but still maintained their ties with friends and family at the Cape. The migration began in 1733.[14]

These new-comers to Maine found harsh economic and living conditions there as discussed above. Soon fear and emotion erupted when news of the Boston Tea Party reached the town and the following year, in October 1775, the British burned Falmouth (Portland) nearby. In 1789 "Joseph Cressey of Gorham was paid 105 pounds by John Ward of Gorham for the whole of lot 79 in the 3rd division of 70-acre lots in Gorham as appears in the Proprietor Clerk's office December 9, 1789."[12] John also sold part of 100-acre lot #84 in the second division of lots on deed dated 14 April 1794 to Joseph Ward, Jr. This lot was next to the Buxton Line.[12a]

The first U.S.Census in 1790 records the 40-year-old John Ward in Gorham with 2 males over 16, 4 males under 16 and 4 females.[12a] In 1800 the population of Gorham had reached 2,503 and John Ward was among the 13 families living in Great Falls and his house is one of only three houses still standing in 1998, now owned by John Wyman.

By 1819 Nathaniel Hicks, son of Lemuel Hicks and his wife, Lucy, daughter of John Ward, owned this property. Nathaniel sold the property to his son, Mark in, 1837. The Hicks owned the property until 1890. It became in disrepair until GEORGE and JOSIE WYMAN bought it in 1953. The old house was repaired and the land farmed again. This property is located between Great Falls and White Rock.

John Ward's name first appears on the Gorham tax list in 1779,[14] the year the province became known as the District of Maine. Fifteen years earlier, 30 October 1764, the Town of Gorham had been incorporated. When the General Court of Massachusetts granted a township it held that town responsible for keeping a grammar school. So through the years Gorham wrestled with the funding, repair and staffing schools for its children.

John Ward and about 62 others partitioned the Legislature for an act of incorporation 12 February 1790 since they said they had maintained a society for the last seven years. Lemuel Hicks (father of Nathaniel Hicks), and

Nathaniel Hicks, (son of Lemuel and husband of John Ward's daughter, Lucy) were part of the group that was to be known as "The Baptist Religious Society of Gorham" as of 7 March 1791. They would then be relieved from the Congregational ministerial taxes.

Twenty four years earlier, 27 September 1766, the qualified voters of Gorham were summoned to a town meeting to consider adoption of twelve articles. Among those articles was that "Quakers and Anabaptists and Antipedobaptists shall be excused from ministerial taxes." It appears from the abstract from volume 1 of the Gorham Records that this article was approved and the group was dismissed from paying taxes.[15] It appears John Ward, Sr. was listed in the Direct Tax Census of 1798 with 60 acres worth $405.00.[15a]

Children of John and Hannah (Wiley), surname Ward:

25. i. JESSE[4], b. at Eastham, 1771, d. at Gorham, 23 May 1845; m. 17/28 Feb. 1797, HANNAH MITCHELL, of Standish, b. ca. 1773, d. 29 March 1856, ae. 83. (Rec. at Windham Hist. Soc.). Both are bur. at N. Gorham Cem.

26. ii. JONATHAN, b. 1774 (Gorham VR, 1:133); m. SARAH (SALLY) HALL, 14 Feb. 1794, Int. 14 Dec. 1793 (ibid); m. 3 Feb. 1794 by Rev. Jonathan Gould (Standish VR, [Marriages and Int. of Marriages 1785-1875], p. 521; *Gorham Publishments*, int. 21 Dec. 1793, p. 38). Sally, dau. of John and Emma Hall, b. at Pearstown, ME 2 April 1771 (Standish VR,[Births], p. 14, 311). Sally d. at Standish ae. 95 in 1866. (See Ch. 8 Jonathan and Sarah and their family).

iii. MARY, of Gorham; m. WILLIAM HALL, of Standish, 1 Aug. 1800. (Marriage rec. at Windham Hist. Soc.). Int. 14 July 1800 (Gorham VR, 1:169); m. 12 July 1800 (Standish VR, p. 419. *Gorham Publishments,* p. 66, also give int. as 14 July 1800).

iv. LUCY, b. at Gorham, 1780, d. at Gorham 28 Feb. 1837; m. NATHANIEL HICKS, int. 12 Dec. 1812 (Gorham VR, 2:45), b. at Gorham 27 Sept. 1784, d. 17 Feb. 1870. Nathaniel Hicks rem. to the John Ward house owned by GEORGE WYMAN in 1984. (Scholl, p. 10). His father, Nathaniel, is mentioned earlier.

v. WILLIAM. Listed by McCLellan *History of Gorham* as rem. to Thorndike.

vi. DAVID, b. at Gorham, 18 Oct. 1782, d. at Thorndike, 18 Nov. 1869. (McCLellan); m. HANNAH LARSEN, b. 24 Sept. 1784, d. 26 Sept. 1837. Rem. to Thorndike. See ch. 6 part I.

vii. EZEKIEL, b. at Gorham, 4 Sept. 1786, d. at Gorham, 25 March 1857, ae. 70. (Gorham VR, 3:459); m. ELIZABETH (BETSY) WALKER, 21 Feb. 1811, (Gorham VR, 2:31), int. 12 Jan. 1811 (Gorham VR, 2:38). She was b. at Gorham, 27 July 1789, d. 1 Nov. 1869, ae. 80. She was dau. of JOHN and ELIZABETH WALKER. Ezekiel was a farmer and tin peddlar, known for his strict honesty. Res. about 3/4 mile from the railroad station at White Rock, now a potato farm. Ezekiel was a sergeant in Capt. Betts' company in War of 1812, and went to defence of Portland. (See app. G on the War of 1812). Ezekiel and Elizabeth are bur. at the Sapling Hill Cem. on Mosher Rd. at Gorham. (g.s.)

Children of Ezekiel and Elizabeth (Walker), surname Ward:

1. MARY, b. 8 Feb. 1812; m. July 1831, MILES THOMPSON of Standish, int. 14 May 1831 (Gorham VR, 2:187), d. 23 March 1895.

2. REBECCA ANN, b. 4 June 1813; m. 19 June 1831, Int. 29 May 1831 (Gorham VR, 2:187) SAMUEL LEVITT, d. 2 Feb. 1882.
3. ESTHER M., b. 7 Aug. 1818; Int. m. 25 March 1838 (Gorham VR, 5:5) m.3 May 1838, NATHAN WOOD, of Portland, ME. (Gorham VR, 5:205).
4. ZACHARIAH B., b. 11 Dec. 1821, d. umn. 26 April 1841 ae. 19, bur. at Sapling Hill Cem with his par. (g.s.).
5. DANIEL D., b. 8 Sept. 1827, d. 1 Feb. 1909, ae. 81, bur. at Sapling Hill Cem. (g.s.); m. 4 Oct. 1854, FRANCES P. LIBBY, dau. of HARRETT LIBBY. Ch. CLARENCE ELWOOD, b. 22 July 1855 (Gorham VR, 3:236 gives par. as Daniel and Priscilla), m. (1st) 3 April 1878 ADAB. SMITH, of Portland, int. 7 Feb. 1878 (Gorham VR, 6:88); m. (2nd) ELIZABETH CANNELL, res. on the old David Harding place near Gambo and rem. to Standish.

viii. HANNAH, of Gorham, b. 1792/3, d. 23 April 1872, ae. 80; m. int. SIMEON SANBORN, of Pearsontown, 16 Nov. 1782 (Gorham VR, 1:35); m. 9 Jan. 1783 (Gorham VR, 1:142 *Gorham Publishments*, pp. 60, 66, 98). Simeon, born 5 July 1759, son of DANIEL and JANE (MOULTON) SANBORN was a friend of GIDEON PHILBRICK of the House of Representatives, rem. with his wife, Hannah, to Bethel, ca. 1800, later to Greenwood, ME, where he was one of the earliest settlers. He d. there 28 Oct. 1832. He served in the Revolutionary War. (Albert J. Sears, Ptd. by Robert L. Taylor, Danville, ME after Sears' death in 12 Aug. 1983, paperback. *Early Families of Standish, ME*, pp. 292-293.).

25. JESSE[4] WARD is found in the U.S. 1800 census of Standish, ME. He was born at Eastham, MA in 1771, and 3 December 1801, he sold 53 acres and 154 rods of land at Standish to WILLIAM ELWELL, of Gorham. This land was the south east end of lot #38 in the second division.[16] Jesse, a farmer, settled at Gorham near Great Falls, later to be renamed North Gorham. His wife died 29 March 1856, aged 83. They were parents of thirteen children.[17] Hannah is listed the U.S. 1850 census, p. 287, ae. 76? and living with her son, Solomon, aged 33, a farmer, and daughter, Sarah, aged 27, and her granddaughter, Eliza J. Ward, daughter of her son, John and Mary (Gerrish) Ward.

Children of Jesse and Hannah (Mitchell), surname Ward:

i. MARTHA[5]; m. 20 Dec. 1821, THOMAS LIBBY, JR., int. 22 Sept. 1821 (Gorham VR, 2:83).
ii. JOHN, b. 8 Jan. 1801 (Gorham VR, 3:215). d. y.

27. iii. JOHN[5], b. 1805, d. at New Glouster, 1 April 1861; m. (1st) int. 4 Oct. 1826, m. 19 Nov. 1826, MARY GERRISH of Windham, (Gorham VR, 2:171, Gorham VR, 5:272); m. (2) MRS. ELEANOR WEBB, int. 11 Dec. 1861 (Gorham VR, 6:13); m. 22 Dec. 1861 (Gorham VR, 5:252).

28. iv. JOSEPH, b. at Gorham 1807, d. at Gorham, 24 Sept. 1865, ae. 58 yrs. (g.s. N. Gorham Cem., N. Gorham Rd.); m. MEHITABLE NASON, (Gorham VR, 1:07), b. 18 Nov. 1806, d. 9 March 1864, ae. 57 (g.s. N. Gorham Cem.).

v. LUCY; m. 4 Dec. 1825, ISRAEL H. CATES (Gorham VR, 2:151, 5:306).
vi. MARY; m. (1st) 26 Feb. 1824, LEWIS BRACKETT, int. 24 Jan. 1824 (Gorham VR, 2:93); m. (Gorham VR, 2:147); m. (2nd)___WALKER.

vii. SOLOMON, b. at Gorham 22 Dec. 1816 (Gorham VR, 2:131), d. unm. at Gorham. His mother, Hannah, is listed in the Gorham 1850 census as living with him, Eliza and Sarah.

viii. BENJAMIN F.?, b. 16 Aug. 1818 (Gorham VR, 2:131, 5:31), or b. 4 Feb. 1804?, d. ae.61 ca. 1865.; m. MARY M. HIGGINS 23/25 June 1843 (Gorham VR, 5:25), (Standish VR, 20 June 1843, p. 489), b. 4 Feb. 1804?, d. ae. 61, ca.1865, bur. at Harmon & Waterhouse Cem., Pond Rd., Sebago Lake, (g.s.). She was of Standish. He is listed in 1840 Gorham Census.

ix. HANNAH; m. (1st) __GERRISH; (2nd) JOHN HAMILTON.

x. DELIA; m.___McKENNEY.

xi. SARAH, b. 12 Dec. 1822 (Gorham VR, 2:131); m.___EMERY. Her mother, Hannah, is listed in the Gorham 1850 census as living with her, Solomon and Eliza.

xii. ABIGAIL, b. 1829; d.y.

xiii. ABIGAIL, (ABBY?), b. 1830; d.y.

(In addition to vital records of Gorham, refer to McLellan *History of Gorham, ME,* pp.796-799).

26. JONATHAN and RACHEL Ward of Fryeburg, ME are not believed to be related to the Jonathan and Sarah Ward of Standish and Gorham, although family lore suggests this. Jonathan removed to Fryeburg from Concord, NH and also was a clockmaker. He died in Fryeburg 5 February 1822. One of his children was Jonathan Hale Chandler Ward who was born in Fryeburg 23 February 1804 and died 28 October 1841.

It is said that Jonathan of Standish built his house 1802 in Fryeburg which burned 1906. Jonathan is said to have been a clockmaker, in some cases using wood workings. He sold these for $35 without the cabinet. Some are still in working order. Clock manufacturing was quite a craft as described by Palmer Brooks who lists the various crafts as brass founder, steel forger, maker of springs, caster of weights, gear cutter, movement maker, bell caster, case maker, glazier of glass parts, maker of chain, guilder or painter of tablets and dials and seller of the complete clock. The author pictures many clocks including one of "Nathan" Ward of Fryeburg about 1800.[18] Children of Jonathan and Rachel, surname Ward:[19] FANNY, b. at Concord, NH 27 Sept. 1798; RACHEL, b. at Concord, NH 20 Sept. 1800; RUTH ABBOT, b. at Fryeburg 1 April 1802; JONATHAN HALE CHANDLER, b. at Fryeburg 23 Feb. 1804, d. 28 Oct. 1841; m. HARRIETT DUNGEN of Fryeburg, 20 Feb. 1834; HARRIET, b. at Fryeburg, 31 July 1805; m. ASA CHARLES, ESQ., of Fryeburg, 8 July 1834; GEORGE AUGUSTUS FREDERICK, b. at Fryeburg, 3 Sept.1808, d. 1 Jan. 1820; AMOS J. COOK, b. at Fryeburg, 4 Jan. 1811; and TIMOTHY CHANDLER, b. at Fryeburg, 29 Dec. 1812.

Children of Jonathan Hale and Harriett were: FANNY, b. 4 Dec. 1834; HENRY, b. 22 Feb. 1836; JOHN, b. 22 Aug. 1837; HARRIET, b. 6 May 1839.

27. JOHN WARD was listed on the 1860 agricultural report as a farmer, and listed on the Gorham personal property list for 1827. Their house was located behind the cemetery near the pole line.[20]

Children of John and Mary (Gerrish), surname Ward:

i. ABBIE E[6]., b. 8 Aug. 1826 (Gorham VR, 3:215), d. ca. 1840, ae. 14 yrs. (Gorham VR, 3:462).

ii. ABBY J., b. 27 Dec. 1828/38 (Gorham VR, 3:215), d.y. (Gorham VR, 3:462).

iii. ELIZA J., b. 12 Nov. 1829 (Gorham VR, 3:215), d. ca. 1857, ae. 28 (Gorham VR, 3:462). Her grandmother, Hannah, listed in 1850 Gorham census as res. with her, Solomon and Sarah.

iv. LUCY A., b. 10/19 April 1832 (Gorham VR, 3:215), d. 26 April 1855; (Gorham VR, 3:462 "age 25 years").

v. LEWIS B., b. 20 Jan. 1835 (Gorham VR, 3:215), d. 15 Oct. 1853, ae. 18 (Gorham VR, 3:462).

vi. JOHN H. b. 25 Aug. 1838, d. after 1870; m. 29 June 1861, MARY S. RUSSELL, of Gray, int. 17 June 1862 (Gorham VR, 6:15). Listed on agricultural list of 1870 as owning 1 horse, 3 cows.

vii. CHARLES M., b. 28 March 1840 (Gorham VR, 3:215), d.10 May 1864 (Gorham VR, 3:462), killed in the Civil War at Spottsylvania, VA, 10 May 1864. (See app. I). Memorial marker found in N. Gorham Cem.

viii. WILLIAM W., b. Dec. 1844. d. 20 Oct. 1863 (Gorham VR, 3:215), in the Civil War. (Army pension record summaries of Charles and William Ward may be found in app. I). Memorial marker found in N. Gorham Cem.

28. MEHITABLE NASON, b. 18 Nov. 1806, d. 9 Mar. 1864 ae. 57 yrs.; dau. of JOSEPH b. in 1783, d. 8 Apr. 1860, ae. 77 yrs. 2 mo. 9 days[21] and ELIZABETH NASON b. ca. 1782, d. 6 Aug. 1863, ae. 81 yrs. 8 mo.; m. JOSEPH WARD, b. at Gorham 1807, d. 24 Sept. 1965, ae. 58 yrs. They resided in north part of town. The U.S. 1850 census lists in Gorham, page 285, Joseph, farmer, ae. 43 with his wife Mehitable, ae. 43 and son Rosewell, ae. 17.[21]

Child of Joseph[5] and Mehitable (Nason), surname Ward:

29. i. ROSWELL NASON[6], b. at Gorham, 30 Aug. 1833 (Gorham VR, 3:224), d. 5 April. 1898; m. 21 April 1861 (Gorham VR, 5:252), int. 12 Jan. 1861 (Gorham VR, 6:10), SARAH JANE WARREN, b. 22 Nov. 1842, d. 4 Jan. 1891.

Children of Roswell and Sarah (Warren), surname Ward:

1. FRANK WARREN[7], b. 1 Feb. 1863, d. 23 July 1935; m. ANNIE MAY TURNER, 8 Sept. 1888, b. 1870, d. 7 Sept. 1945.

Children of Frank Warren and Annie (Turner), surname Ward:

(i). ADRIAN TURNER, SR.[8], b. at Gorham, 20 May 1889, d. at Portland, ME, 4 June 1958; m. (1st) NELLIE LOVEJOY, b. at Old Town, ME; m. at Old Town, 16 Oct. 1912. Ch. BARBARA and MADELINE; Adrian m. (2nd) 23 June 1920, VIOLA MAE SMEARER, b. at Portland, ME, 8 Dec. 1898, d. at Westbrook,. ME, 11 July 1991.

Children of Adrian and Viola (Smearer), surname Ward:

(1). HELEN CLARA[9], b. 20 Oct. 1920; m.___ACKLEY.

(2). CHARLOTTE LOUISE. b. 5 Oct. 1922; m. ___LORD.

(3). GILDA MAE, b. 21 Jan. 1925.
(4). FRANK WARREN, b. 15 Jan. 1927.
(5). ADRIAN TURNER, JR., b. 28 Aug. 1930, 9 Sept. 1961 JUDITH EVANGELINE SHAW, b. 24 Apr. 1940, Ch. KATHLEEN LYNN, b. 12 Aug. 1962; NATHAN PHILLIPS, b. 22 Aug. 1963; JENNIFER LYNN, b. 5 Jul. 1970.
(6). SHIRLEY ANN, b. 27 Oct. 1932.
(7). GARY ALYN, b. 1 Feb. 1936. unm.

(ii). IRA KNOWLES[8]; m. GLADYS I. WARD b. at N. Conway, NH, 1 Sept. 1894, d. at Long Beach, CA. 18 June 1962; Ch. HELENE b. ca. 1922, m. DONALD DYE. Res. in CA.

2. ANNIE WARREN[7], b. at Gorham, 26 March 1865, d. at Gorham, 11 Jan. 1951; m. 6 Aug. 1887 ITHIEL BLAKE GILMAN, b. 28 Feb. 1862, d. 1 April 1935.

Children of Ithiel Blake and Annie (Ward) surname Gilman.

(i). CARROLL WARREN[8], b. at Gorham, 3 June 1888, d. unm. 26 March 1909.

(ii). BERTRAND WARD[8], b. 4 Oct. 1890, d. 22 Oct. 1977; m. at Windham, ME, 6 Dec. 1916, EFFIE JOSEPHINE HURD, dau. of JOHN ALBERT, b. 13 Nov. 1862, d. 31 July 1938 and ELLEN JOSEPHINE (BLAKE/NOURSE) HURD, b. 26 Nov. 1847, d. 25 Aug. 1930. Son, WARREN BERTRAND GILMAN, res.in N. Gorham in 1996.

Children of Bertrand and Effie (Hurd) surname Gilman:

(1). WARREN BERTRAND[9], b. at Portland, ME, 11 Aug. 1929; m. at Windham, 25 March 1957, EMMA LOUISE WEBER, b. at Windham, 7 March 1933. Ch. CYNTHIA MARGARET, b. 12 July 1958, unm; BERTRAND WARREN, b. 8 Dec. 1963, div. d.s.p.

29. In 1871 and 1885, ROSWELL WARD was listed as agent for District 18 of the Great Falls School District and in 1873 when the name of Great Falls was changed to North Gorham and a post office was established there. He was described as a prominent, elequent and upright prime mover in social activities. He was secretary of an active group that promoted temperance (including abstinence from wine and cider) called The Reform Group. The group met in a schoolhouse which was burned apparently by some adversaries. He was known for his "flourishing," now commonly called calligraphy, as a work of art and held penmanship classes in North Gorham. In 1876, he was a member of a committee to raise money for the Sociable Club public hall and to draw up by-laws and constitutiion for the club.[22]

John's probable cousin, Joseph, is thought to be descended from George and Barzilla (Doane) Ward, and from the "Deacon" John Doane Family, of Plymouth. Joseph possibly inherited a section of Gorham in 1730 through an inherited right in King Philip's War. (See appendixes C and D). McLellan

History of Gorham wrote that Joseph was John's brother. No records are found showing John had a brother by this name, so he must have been a cousin.

JOSEPH WARD was on the tax list twice in 1780 in Gorham. (See McLellan, History of Gorham). He owned the 100-acre lot 83 and part of the 100-acre lot 84. His parents have not been identified. At first, it might appear that he may have been Joseph[3], son of George[2] and Barzilla Doane, of Eastham. John Ward would then be a cousin. See the U.S. 1800 census, page 79, for Cumberland County, ME.[23] Joseph with his wife, Martha Smith, and four children. Joseph would be about 47 years of age. The earlier 1790 census lists a Joseph Ward of Gorham. However, there is no evidence as to who this Joseph might have been, and McLellan lists other children (listed below) and his wife whose name is not mentioned. So Joseph's parents remain unidentified. He was also on the Direct Tax Census of 1798 with 40 acres valued at 36.00.[15a]

Children of Joseph and _____, surname Ward:

i. NATHANIEL (NATHAN?), b. ca. 1772, d. probably between 1802 and April 1834; m. (int. VR Gorham, ME, 1:164; and *Gorham Publishments*, pp. 44, 46, int. of NATHAN WARD 30 Sept. 1797 with ISABELLA JORDAN) on 26 Oct. 1797. Res. on 100-acre lot #83. Sold to Abraham Dow; known as Albion Wood place. His dwelling is possibly listed on the Direct Tax Census of 1798 for $913.30.[15a]

   Children of Nathaniel and Isabella (Jordan), surname Ward:

   1. JOSEPH, b. 3 Jan. 1800, (Gorham VR, 4:65 and *Gorham Publishments*, p. 166); m. int. 28 March 1823 (Gorham VR, 2:89); m. HARRIET EMERY, of Buxton, 1 May 1823 (Buxton VR, p. 80), dau. of JONA and JANE EMERY. Ch. JONATHAN E., b. 5 Feb. 1827, d. 8 Jan. 1829 (Gorham VR, 237:125); 2 sons lost at sea; JOSEPH, JR. whose son was NATHAN b. 25 Feb. 1827.
   2. SIMON, b. 17 Jan. 1802 (Gorham VR, 4:65).

ii. JOSEPH, Jr., m. HANNAH LUMMUS (LURMUS) 12 July 1800 (Gorham VR, 1:18-23, *Gorham Publishments,* pp. 44, 66) of Hamilton, MA. He d. before 1807. Dau., HANNAH b. 1801 (Gorham VR, 1:169 *Gorham Publishments*, p. 66). Followed sea at one time. In 1796, he bought of SAMUEL PRENTISS a quarter acre on north side of Main St. at Gorham Village. Styled as a trader and of Gorham. Estate settled by his widow and SAMUEL LUMMUS, of Hamilton. To settle leins on Joseph's estate, Samuel sold real estate _____ at $453.06, 5 June 1807, (Cumberland Co. [deeds] 61,210). (See app G. Joseph listed in Direct a Tax Census of 1798.[15a])

Notes to Chapter 7

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Woodland was depleted. Game animals, beaver, deer and turkey vanished. The population was crowded with more than 40 people per square mile. Many dreamed of new opportunities elsewhere. In 1765, Maine accounted for only 9% of Massachusetts population, but grew to 20% of Massachusetts population 25 years later in 1790.

2. Jamie H. Eaves, "The Valley White With Mist" A Cape Cod Colony in Maine 1770- 1820, (The *Maine Historical Society Quarterly*, vol. 32, no. 2 Fall, 1992, pp. 94,99). Farmers considered land should not be used for profit and speculation of land was immoral. Thomas B. Waite, publisher of *Scribble Scrabble* in 1786, compared the "Luxurious lordly proprietor" with the " honest hard laboring settler."

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4. Paul E. Rivard, *Maine Sawmills A History.* (Maine State Museum), 1990.

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11. Cumberland Co., ME, (Deeds), 46: 357.

12. Gorham (Cumberland Co., ME) VR 2:242.

12a. The U.S. 1790 Census listed only names of heads of families.

13. Eaves, "The Valley White With Mist," The *Maine Historical Society Quarterly*,vol.32, no.2, pp.61,86.

14. ibid, pp. 9, 79-81,Hugh C. McLellan, comp. and ed. by his dau. Katherine B. Lewis, *History of Gorham, ME, (Portland:Smith & Sale, Printers, 1903),* p.796. Note also for early listings of John and Joseph Ward, pp. 794-796..

15. Russell S. Biddeford, ed., *Publishments, Marriages, Births and Deaths From the Earlier Records of Gorham, ME,* (Campden, ME: Picton, Press, 1991, p. 16). Hereinafter *Gorham Publishments.*

15a. Michael H. Gorn, ed., *An Index and Guide to the Microfilm Edition of the Massachusetts and Maine Direct Tax Census of 1798,* (Boston: New England Historic Genealogical Society, 1978, sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities, 1979). *Massachusetts and Maine Direct Tax Census of 1798*, (vol. 2, Maine Counties: Hancock, Washington, Lincoln, Cumberland, microfilm), p.337 Nathan Ward's dwelling; p . 332 for his parcels valued at $915.50. John Ward, Sr. was listed with 60 acres assessed at $405 and Joseph Ward, Jr. for parcel at $36.00, p.372. Congress, being concerned about European War and threats to U.S.soil, adopted a progressive tax to raise $2 million to expand its army and navy. Tax started at 1% to 2% on buildings, lands, lots and parcels assessed over $100.00 and increased with increase of value of the buildings. Gorham was in District 8, 2nd Division of the State of Massachusetts.

16. Cumberland (Deeds), 39:368.
17. Sears, p. 293.
18. Palmer Brooks, *Book of American Clocks.* (New York:MacMillan Publishing Company, Inc. 1974), p. 14.
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CHAPTER 8

Jonathan and Sarah (Hall) Ward at Standish, Windham and Sebago Lake, Maine

Pearsontown (named for Capt. Moses Pearson, one of the town's first proprietors) was changed to Standish in 1785 to honor Myles Standish, the pilgrim. The grant from the General Court of Massachusetts having been made in 1745.

A stockade, or fort, was constructed at Standish sixty feet wide of hewn timbers to protect the settlers from the hardship and dangers from the Indians. A monument now marks the location of this fort. Among the first buildings erected were a tavern and a house of worship. This was typical of all New England villages. The Wards went to Sebago Lake from Gorham in the 1790's and descendants from this family continue to live in this area in 1997.

Windham housed three connected ponds which emptied into the Pleasant River. One connection was man-made and on 14 June 1814 water undermined the mill dam causing a flood which washed away a sawmill, a grist mill and four bridges of Pleasant River.[1] Children of the Isaac Ward family were born here and will be discussed later. The town figured prominently in the Civil War. (See app. I).

JONATHAN[4] WARD (John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) son of John and Hannah (Wiley) Ward of Gorham, was born in 1774. His intention to marry Sarah (Sally) Hall of Standish was made in Gorham 21 December 1793[2] and they were married 3 February 1794 by Rev. Jonathan Gould.[3] Sarah was the daughter of John and Naomi (York) Hall. The parents were both of Pearsontown and were married 1 February 1769.[3] The Yorks were colorful and adventurous early settlers of Standish. Sarah was born at Pearsontown, later Standish, 2 April 1771[3] and lived to be 95 years old, dying about 1866.

Jonathan was taxed by the Joseph Daw bill 4 April 1800.[4] On 11 February 1803, Jonathan, "yeoman, of Standish" bought 50 acres in Standish from Christopher Dunn, lying between "the neck," lots 49 and Sebago Pond, for $100.00. Dunn was of Belgrade, son of Nathaniel Dunn.[5] Jonathan later sold this lot for $130.00 to William Cummings, also of Standish, the land described as being between John Butterfield, Joseph Gray and Sebago Pond on deed by Jonathan Ward and Sarah Ward by her mark dated 17 November 1804.[6] Jonathan also bought part of lot 40, 3rd division, on the road to North Windham near the canal and sold it later to Christopher Dunn in 1812.

Albert J. Sears wrote that Jonathan Ward "disappears from the Standish scene some time before 1808."[7] His whereabouts, death date and burial site are unknown, yet his children were born at Standish after this date and he is shown to have traded property. Then, being listed as from Gorham, 17 August 1817, Jonathan bought 50 acres from Samuel Varney, of Windham, an undivided half lot #102 in Windham, second division of 100 acre lots. He paid $500.00 for this lot.[8] Earlier, 13 August, Jonathan appears to have signed a note to Samuel Varney for $400.00, payable one hundred dollars annually for 4 years with interest, probably arranging to pay for lot 102 to Varney in installments.[9] Family lore says Jonathan made 2 promissory notes which were unpaid. It is said he removed to either Bridgton, Fryeburg or Gray, ME. His seven children, however, were all born at Standish during the 12-year period between 1794 and 1806. Even if he moved away deeds reveal that he bought property in Windham, Standish and Gorham as late as 1817, as discussed above.

Possibly "Nathan" Ward of Fryeburg might have been Jonathan Ward, formerly of Standish who shortened his name.

Children of Jonathan and Sarah (Hall), surname Ward, all said to have been born at Standish:[10]

i. GEORGE[5], b. 27 Sept. 1794, d. 4 Aug. 1866 at Sebago Lake; m. (1st) ELIZABETH LIBBY, b. 3 July 1791, d. 28 March 1824; m. (2nd) SARAH BABB (Scarboro VR, p. 203). (See ch. 9, George Ward).

ii. JONATHAN[5], Jr., b. 26 July 1796, d. at Prospect, ME, 11 Oct. 1857 (Sears, *Early Families*, p. 292).

iii. SARAH, b. 17 March 1798; m. NATHAN WOOD of Portland.

iv. WILLIAM[5] (REV.), b. 18 Dec. 1799, d. 20 March 1879; m. MARY LIBBY, res. at N. Sebago. (See ch.10, William Ward).

v. JACOB[5], b.16 April 1802, d. 5 June 1855, ae. 85 yrs.; m. 6 Feb. 1823 SUSAN BAKER of Windham, b. 1798 (Windham VR, 1762-1841, cop. by Joseph P.Thompson, ca. 1900. Windham Hist. Soc.). (See Ch. 11, Jacob Ward).

vi. ISAAC HALL, b. at Standish, 3 Feb. 1804, d. at Standish, 15 Sept. 1870; m. (1st) LUCY DEXTER, dau.of Nathan and Lucy Dexter (Albion, ME, [formerly Fairfax], *Town Book of Old Records* at ME State Arch.). b. 16 April 1805, d. at Dedham, 11 April 1855, (Dedham, ME VR, [Births and Deaths], p. 65), bur. at Central Cem., Dedham, (g.s.); Isaac Hall m. (2nd), 24 Aug.1858, LAURA JEANE HANSCOM, ae. 20, b. at Victory, NY, dau. of IRA FOSS and CAROLINE (ROWETTE) HANSCOM, d. 17 Jan. 1868 (Lorenzo Ward Family Papers) (See ch. 12 Isaac Hall Ward).

vii. DAVID[5], b. 24 March 1806, res. at Fryeburg and Brewer, ME; m. HARRIETT M. HEARN. (See ch. 13 David Ward below).

Notes on Chapter 8

1. Thomas Laurens Smith, *History of the Town of Windham*, (Portland: Hoyt & Fogg, 1873), pp. 39-41, 76-81.
2. VR Standish, pp. 413, 529, and *Gorham Publishments*, pp. 38, 66.
3. *Gorham Publishments*, pp. 82, 101, VR Standish, p. 311.

4. Standish Town Records, p. 106.
5. Cumberland Co., ME [Deed], 46:168.
6. ibid, 46:169.
7. Albert J. Sears, *Early Families of Standish, Maine*, p. 112, (Paperback), owned by the Town of Standish, ME, Town Clerk and Maine Historical Society, Portland.
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9. ibid, 96:111.
10. Sears.

CHAPTER 9

George and Elizabeth (Libby) Ward and Sarah (Babb) Ward at Sebago Lake, Maine

GEORGE[5] WARD (Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) was born at Standish, 27 September 1794[1], and died at Sebago 4 August 1866. George resided at Ossipee Gore, a small community just northeast of Gorham. He and his brother, William, married sisters. William married Mary Libby who lived to an old age. George married (1st) 29 September 1816[2]. ELIZABETH LIBBY, of Scarborough. She was born 3 July 1791, daughter of Captain Thomas and Mary (Libby) Libby of Scarborough, (Strip) now Gorham. Elizabeth died 28 March 1824.

George married (2nd) 12 July 1824 SARAH BABB who was born 25 January 1798 and died 16 August 1879.[3] George, Sarah and their children sold their interest in the Libby estate to BENJAMIN LIBBY, a brother to the late Elizabeth (Libby) Ward. The following year, 25 September 1838, George and his sons, Freedom, William and Amos, purchased of John and Nathaniel Warren, of Westbrook, Sebago lots Nos. 110, 111, 114 and 115. He then moved his family to North Sebago on the South Naples Road[3] and cleared land for his farm, being first family of settlers in that part of Sebago.

He then became a large land owner in North Sebago, served as justice of the peace and is listed in the 1850 census at age 55 as a farmer with a worth of $1,500 - a considerable wealth. He is buried in back of his home. The Ward family purchased cemetery plots in Sebago on the west side of Sebago Lake.

Children of George and Elizabeth (Libby), surname Ward:

i. FREEDOM[6] (Freedem), b. 18 Oct. 1817 (Scarboro VR), d. 3 May 1872, ae. 54 yrs., 8 mos.; m. MARY T. STAPLES, b. at Limington, ME, ca.1825 (1850 Sebago Census), d. 21 Sept. 1889. Res. at N. Sebago, where he purchased land with his father and bros. (See above). Both bur. at Anderson Cove, N. Sebago (g.s.).

Children of Freedom and Mary (Staples), surname Ward:

30. 1. ELIZA JANE[7], b. at Sebago 25 June 1845, d. 21 June 1890; m. 5 April 1873, THOMAS JEFFERSON C. DOUGLAS, b. at Bridgton, 13 Oct. 1843/4, d. at Sanford, ME, ae. 64 yrs., 20 July 1908 (ME VR). Both bur. at Forest Hill Cem., Bridgton. Res. at Bridgton. (Fickett, p. 150). Par. of Thomas Jefferson were DANIEL DOUGLASS and MARY SAWYER.

2. MARIA FRANCES, b. at Sebago, 5 May 1849, d. at Bridgton, ae. 47, 5 Nov. 1896, bur, at Bridgton (ME VR); Poss. m. FRANCIS M.____listed in 1850 Sebago Census with family. Unm. at death. She was a dressmaker.

3. GEORGE EDWIN, b. at Sebago 23 April 1852, d. at Standish, 26 Dec. 1898, ae. 46, yrs., 3 mos., 3 dys;, m. 23 April 1872 (Fickett, p. 172). NELLIE M. SMITH, of Standish, dau. of DANIEL and ELIZA (HAWKES) SMITH, b. ca. 1842/3, d. at Standish, ae. 65 yrs., 11 mos., 22 dys., 11 Oct. 1908 (ME VR). Both bur. in Friendship Cem., Richville. (g.s.). d.s.p. Res. on a farm at Standish near railroad crossing at Richville, ME. Both bur. in Richville Cem. (Record listed George as widower at death, yet his wife, Nellie, d. 10 yrs. later in 1908.)

ii. MARY JANE, b. at Scarboro, 12 March 1819, d. at Scarboro, 15 April 1821. (Scarboro, VR, p. 9).

31. iii. WILLIAM[6], b. at Scarboro 17 Aug. 1820, d. 25 April 1858, (Scarboro VR, p. 9); m. 28 Nov.1847, by Rev.S.Taylor MARY ANN FICKETT, b. at Bridgton 21 March 1824, dau. of NATHANIEL and ELIZA (WALKER) FICKETT of N. Sebago. (See below for more about William and Mary Ann Ward's family).

32. iv. AMOS[6], b. at Scarboro 17 July 1822 (Scarboro VR, p.9), d.18 March 1911; m. (1st)14 Jan. 1845, LYDIA STAPLES. Both bur. at Ward Cem., Larrabee Neighborhood, N. Sebago, ME. Lydia was sister of MARGARET STAPLES who m. Francis W. J. Ward. Amos m. (2nd) ESTHER B. TARR, m. (3rd) 30 Nov. 1916, LAURA ABBY AVERY, d. 19 June 1926. (Fickett, p. 154). (See below for more on Amos' family).

v. MARY ANN, b. at Scarboro 30 Nov. 1823, d. 21 Dec. 1903 (Bridgton VR, p. 33); m. ICHABOD BAKER WARD, her 1st cousin, 25 Oct. 1845. (Windham VR co. 1762-1841 cop. by Joseph P. Thompsom ca. 1900). Ichabod b. at Windham, 21 Sept. 1825, d. at Bridgton, 26 May 1900, son of JACOB and SUSAN (BAKER) WARD. (See ch. 11.). Both are bur. at Arlington Cem. Sec. 6 at N. Windham Cem. (N. Windham Hist. Soc.).

Children of Mary Ann (Ward) and Ichabod, surname Ward:

1. WILLIS; m.___. Son, CLARENCE, b. 2 March 1893, d. 19 Nov. 1957, who m. his 3rd cousin BERTHA McKENNEY, granddau. of Fred and Maud McKenney, of N. Sebago.
2. CASH, b. 20 Feb. 1852, d. 1932; m. ____. Ch. JOHN, b. 4 Sept. 1887; HENRY, b. 28 Feb. 1885, d. Aug. 1910, bur. at S. Bridgton Cem., (g.s.). John and Henry res. at Hiram.

Children of George[5] and (2nd) Sarah (Babb), surname Ward:

vi. FRANCIS[6] W. J., b. at Sebago 5 Sept. 1825, (Scarboro VR), d. ae. 76 yrs., 7 mos., 12 dys, at N. Sebago, 17 April 1902, widower, (ME VR). He was a farmer, res. at N. Sebago; m. MARGARET STAPLES, b. 1830, d. 1888, dau. of ROBERT STAPLES. Francis was a farmer. Res. at N. Sebago. She was sister of LYDIA STAPLES, his brother Amos' wife.

Children of Francis and Margaret (Staples), surname Ward:

1. FLORA E., b. 1869, d. 1938; m. 5 July 1900, WALLACE SHAW, of N. Sebago.
2. CHARLES P.(T.), b.1861, d. 1862.
3. CHARLES D., b. 1863, d. 1875. His death caused by a fall from a desk in the schoolroom.
4. ALICE I., b. 1867, d. 1894.

vii. HANNAH ELIZABETH, b. 30 Oct. 1827, d. Aug. 1915/16; m. LORENZO D. LOWELL, of Standish, b. 1823, d. 1904, bur. at Sebago Lake Village Cem. (g.s.). Res. on a farm on the Sebago Lake to Richville Road. Ch. CYNTHIA M.,

b. 1857, d. 1928, unm.; DANA A., b. 1853, d. 1918*, unm.; NAWELL, Res. at Westbrook; BELLE M., b. 1867, d. 1891; EDGAR L., b. 1864, d. 1894; m. MARY PHENEY, b. 1860, d. 1926; LENDALL F., b. 1840/49, d. 1854/64. Bur. at Sebago Lake Village Cem. (g.s.).

33. viii. ALBION KING PARIS[6], b. at Sebago 25 Nov. 1829, d. ae. 78 yrs., 7 mos., 23 dys., 23 July 1908, bur. at Anderson Cove, N. Sebago, (g.s.). widowed (ME VR); m. (1st) SOPHRONIA DYER LIBBY, b. 18 Feb. 1835, d. 13 June 1883, bur. Anderson Cove (g.s.); Albion m. (2nd) SADIE TREADWELL, d.s.p. (See below for further discussion about the Albion King Ward family).

ix. ABRAHAM J. W., b. 11 April 1831, d. 24 Sept. 1905 at Portland; m. 5 July 1856, SARAH CHICK, b. 5 Aug. 1827, d. 3 May 1905. Bur. at Anderson Cove, N. Sebago. (g.s.). Res. at N. Sebago. Dau. HELENA O., b. 14 Feb. 1870; m. JOHN RICHARDSON, a carpenter. Ch. of Helena and John: VERA E. RICHARDSON, b. 9 June 1895; m. WILL THOMPSON, a carpenter. Ch. of Will and Vera (Richardson), surname Thompson: EARL L., b. 26 Aug. 1910; BERNICE B., b. 19 Aug. 1912; ARCHIE R., b. 4 Oct. 1914; ALVA, b. 27 April 1916, d. 20 March 1918; HAZEL H., b. 21 Oct. 1917; LOIS M., b. 28 April 1920.

x. THOMAS JEFFERSON[6], b. at Scarboro, ME, 2 June 1833; d. ae. 79 yrs., 10 mos., 15 dys., at Portland, ME, 16 April 1914 (ME VR); m. CLARA HAWKES of Standish, b.ca 1837, d. 25 Apr. 1927..

30. Thomas Jefferson was son of DANIEL and MARY (SAWYER) DOUGLASS, (Bridgton VR), a blacksmith, and clerk in a dry goods store. Old homestead called "Douglas Hill" which burned in later yrs. near area called "Cider Jim Douglass Place." Res. and bur.at Forest Hill Cem. Bridgton.

Children of THOMAS JEFFERSON and ELIZA JANE (WARD), surname Douglass:

i. HARRY WALTER, b. 7 April 1874, d. 6 Sept. 1961; m. 3 July 1895, ETTA MIRIAM HILL.

ii. WILSON EVERETT, b. 8 May 1875, d. 21 June 1941, bur. at Forest Hill Cem., Bridgton; m. MYRA M. WARD, b. 8 Nov. 1877, dau. of Amos and Maria Ward. (See below).

iii. ELWOOD PERCY, twin to Irvin, b. 14 May 1877, d. 27 May 1941, bur. At Forest Hill Cem.; m. MABEL TAYLOR.

iv. HENRY IRVIN, twin to Elwood, b. 14 May 1877, d. 14 May 1877, bur. at Forest Hill Cem.

v. HENRY IRVIN, b. 1 Dec. 1878, d. 10 Aug. 1959 bur. Woodlawn Cem. at Westbrook, ME; m. EFFIE WARD, 1 Dec. 1878, dau. of Thomas Jefferson and Eliza Jane Ward, b. 3 April 1881, dau. of Marcellus and Mary Ann Ward. (See above).

vi. ORIN DEXTER T., b. 10 Feb. 1880, d. 22 Oct. 1956, bur. Eastern Cem. at Gorham, ME; m. CATHERINE ELIZABETH G. ____.

vii. HERBERT OWEN, b. 10 July 1881, d. 10 Jan. 1950, bur. at Forest Hill Cem.; m. BERTHA PALKER.

viii. MARY ANN, b. 10 April 1883, d. 10 Dec. 1967, bur. at Steep Falls Cem.; m. JAMES RIDLON.

ix. CHARLES EDWIN, b. 27 Sept. 1884, d. 15 Feb. 1959; m. GENNIE LIBBY, b. 26 Aug. 1884, d. 30 July 1977, bur. Woodlawn Cem.

xi. WARREN LESLIE, b. 11 Jan 1886, d. 7 Sept. 1968.
xii. EVA ALICE, b. 23 Aug. 1879, d. 10 May 1964.

31. WILLIAM WARD was born 17 August 1820[4] and died 25 April 1858, aged 38. He married MARY ANN FICKETT of North Sebago who was the daughter of NATHANIEL and ELIZA (WALKER) FICKET of North Sebago. He purchased land in North Sebago with his father and brothers (See above) and owned a large farm at Gorham between Gorham Corner and South Windham, known as the Hamblen Place. He later bought the Corey lots at North Sebago where he built a house and barn and held an all-day religious service before his cattle were put in the new barn.

Children of William and Mary Ann (Fickett), surname Ward:

i. MARCELLUS[7], b. 8/15 May 1854, d. 10 Nov. 1930; m. (1st) HELEN WARD, 3 June 1854, d. 30 Aug. 1887, dau. of Shurburn and Sarah Ward. Marcellus m. (2nd) LIZZIE____, b. 2 June 1864, d. 15 Jan. 1943. All bur. at N. Sebago Lakeside Cem. (g.s.). (See ch. 10).

Children of Marcellus and Helen (Ward), surname Ward:

1. EDITH LUELLE, b. 22 Feb. 1877, d. 17/19 Sept. 1919, bur. at N. Sebago Lakeside Cem. (g.s.); m. 1 Dec. 1894 FRED MESERVE, son of JOHN and MATILDA MESERVE.

34. 2. ELLERY HARLAND[8], b. 23 Aug. 1879, d. 22 July 1955, bur. at Steep Falls Cem., (g.s.); m. (1st)____, m. (2nd) 24 Dec. 1906, EVA ALICE DOUGLAS, b. at Sebago, ME 23 Aug. 1879, d. 10 May 1964, dau. of JEFFERSON and ELIZA (WARD) DOUGLAS. Eliza was dau. of Freedom and Mary (Staples) Ward (see above). Ellery and Eva both bur. at Steep Falls Cem., (g.s.).

3. EFFIE b. 3 April 1881, d. 20 Nov. 1954; m. 15 Feb. 1902 HENRY IRWIN DOUGLAS, b. 1 Dec. 1878, d. 10 Aug. 1959, son of Thomas Jefferson and Eliza Jane Douglass. d.s.p.

4. MAY ELIZA, b. at Sebago 1 May 1883. Unm.

32. AMOS[6] WARD was born at Scarboro, ME 17 July 1822, and died ae. 88 yrs., 8 mos., 18 March 1911 widower[5]. He married 14 January 1845, LYDIA STAPLES, the daughter of ROBERT STAPLES of North Sebago. Lydia was born 8 November 1820 and died 19 February 1879. Her sister, Margaret, married Francis W. J. Ward, son of George and Sarah (Babb) Ward. (See below this ch.). Amos and Lydia resided on the old Staples Place at North Sebago. He was a farmer and a selectman of Sebago and purchased land at North Sebago with his father and brothers. (See above).

Children of Amos and Lydia (Staples), surname Ward (Fickett, p. 154):

i. AMOS FRANKLIN, b. at Sebago, 2 Mar. 1853, d. 31 Mar. 194?, m. (1st) MARIA A. MCKENNEY, b. 7 Sept. 1849, d. 26 Feb. 1903, dau. of DANIEL and ELIZA (SANBORN) MCKENNEY; m. (2nd) 27 June 1908 ESTHER B. TARR div.; m. (3rd) 30 Nov. 1916, LAURA ABBY AVERY, d. 19 June 1926.

Children of Amos Franklin and Maria (McKenney), surname Ward:

1. DENNIS H., b. 1876 in Sebago, d. 9 June 1877.

2. MYRA M., b. 8 Nov. 1877, d. 10 Aug. 1914; m. 3rd cousin, 23 Nov. 1895 (Fickett, p. 154), WILSON DOUGLAS, of Bridgton, b. 8 May 1875, d. 21 July 1940/41, son of THOMAS JEFFERSON and ELIZA JANE (WARD) DOUGLAS. d.s.p.
3. GERTIE F., b. at Sebago, 29 June 1879, d. at Sebago, ae., 14 yrs., 5 mos., 24 dys., 3 Dec. 1893, (ME VR).
4. CHESLIE LELAND, b. 1 Aug. 1881; m. 31 Oct. 1903 MARY THORNE, dau. of Orestes Thorne of Sebago, ME. He was Supt. Meter Depart., Portland Water Co. Dau., EVELY N., who m. WILLIAM E. MERRIMAN.
5. GRACIE C., b. 6 Jan. 1884, d. 8 May 1917; m. 2 July 1903, JAMES WILBUR SANBORN, son of EDWIN F. and GEORGIA (MCKENNY) SANBORN of Sebago,a house painter. Son, ROBERT, a house painter, m. MARCIA HATCH, of Washington Co., ME. Res. on Alva Ward Place. d.s.p.
6. CLARENCE DENNIS, b. 30 April 1887; m. (1st) MAY BUTLER; m. (2nd) ELEANOR DICKINSON, b. 29 July 1898. His occupation: M.C.R.R. engineer. Ch. of Clarence and May: DONALD CARL, b. 9 Jan,1926; THEADORE EDWARD, b. 15 July 1935.
7. ADA, b. 7 June 1891; m. 12 Nov. 1913 NORMANN LESLIE MANN of Naples, ME.

ii. ALVA, b. 30 Aug. 1858, d. at Sebago, 10 Sept. 1905, ae. 47 yrs., 3 mos., 11 dys., a carpenter, (ME VR); m. FLORA WHITE, dau. of EDWIN and MARY (McKENNEY) WHITE, of Sebago. He built his house near his father's at N. Sebago.

Children of Alva and Flora (White), surname Ward:

1. AGNES BELL; m. LEE WHITNEY. Son, HARTLEY E. WHITNEY.
2. LYDIA; m. (1st)___CHARMICHAEL; m. (2nd) ___of Boston, dau. DOROTHY, b. 1917.
3. LUCY ELLEN, b. 24 Feb. 1848, d. 6 Nov. 1905/06; m. EZRA McKENNEY, a farmer, of N. Sebago.

   Children of Lucy (Ward) and Ezra, surname McKenney (Fickett, p. 155):

   (i). CARRIE, b. ca.1872: m. 1 Nov. 1894, HUBERT DOUGLAS, of Sebago. Res. at Naples, ME. One dau.

   (ii). FRED D., b. 9 Dec. 1873. Farmer, res. on his father's farm; m. (1st) MAUD MANN of Naples, ME, b. 16 Feb. 1878, d. 13 Dec. 1933; m. (2nd) HUBERTA GRAY, b. 31 Aug. 1917.

   Children of Fred and Maud (Mann), surname McKenney:

   (1). FLORANCE A., b. 27 July 1903, d. 10 April 1905.

   (2). DOROTHY L., b. 31 May 1909, d. 31 July 1909.

   (3). BERTHA ELLEN; m. 17 July 1917, her 3rd cousin, CLARENCE WARD, b. 2 March 1893, d. 18 Nov. 1957, son of DELBERT and RUTH (CLUFF) WARD. Bertha was postmistress at N. Sebago. Dau.,BARBARA.

   (4). DENNIS; m. ADA MURCH.

   (5). HARRY; m. (1st) EULALEE LARRABEE of N. Sebago. d.s.p.

   (6). LELAND; m. ELEANOR THOMBS.

iii. PEMBROKE, b. 12 March 1846, d. 16 June 1866, unm., bur. at Ward Cem., Larrabee Neighborhood, ME Sebago.
iv. LUCY ELLEN, b. 24 Feb. 1848, d. 6 Nov. 1906.

33. ALBION KING PARIS WARD was born 25 November 1829 and died ae. 79, 23 July 1908. He married (1st) 1853 SOPHRONIA DYER LIBBY who was born 18 February 1835 and died 13 January 1883. Albion married (2nd) SARAH S. (ELWELL) TREADWELL and left no issue by her. He kept a hotel or boarding house for many years, and was part owner of the excursion steamer "The Undine" which sailed on Sebago Lake. He owned a large parcel of land at the north end of Sebago Lake.

Children of Albion and Sophronia (Libby), surname Ward:

i. EMMA E., b. 14 March 1854, d. at Baldwin; m. at Standish, 25 July 1876, PHILLIP H. WIGGIN, of N. Baldwin, ME.
Children of Emma (Ward) and Phillip, surname Wiggin (Fickett, p. 156):
1. CLARENCE, d. ae. 7.
2. BLANCH; m. WARREN SMITH. Res. at New Brunswick, ME. Ch. RISPAH; CLARENCE (killed ae. 20); MERTON.
3. CORA; m. (1st) WALDO DOUGLAS; m. (2nd) ALLISON MADDOCKS. Res. at S. Portland, ME. d.s.p.
4. SOPHRONIA; m. FRED SMITH. Res. at White Rock, ME. Ch. MILDRED; WENDALL; LAWRENCE; LUELLA and MILFORD.

ii. ELLA M., b. 8 Aug. 1856, d.1921; m. at Dedham, MA, 25 Sept. 187_, LEROY WARD (her half cousin), b. 26 July 1852. d.s.p. (Fickett, pp. 73, 156).

iii. CLARINDA O. (CLARA), b. 29 Sept. 1858, d. at Sebago, 17 April 1930, ae. 71 yrs., 6 mos., 18 dys.; m. at N. Sebago, 25 April 1883, CHARLES F. DECKER, d. at Sebago, 21 March 1934. A farmer.

Sketch courtesy Mrs. Ann Shank Rohrer
Albion King Paris Ward

Ward Hotel

Children of Charles and Clara O. (Ward), surname Decker:

1. BELVA, m. WINFRIELD WENTWORTH, Ch. RITA, m. DON ARSENAULT; GORDON, m. BERNICE _____; ELEANOR, m. GEORGE TAFT; OLIVE.
2. JESSE FREMONT DECKER, b. 20 Nov. 1888 (Soc. Sec. Death Index lists birth as 20 Nov. 1887), d. ae. 80, 2 April 1968; m. 6 May 1914 at W. Baldwin (Cumberland Co.), ME by H. Knowles (Double wedding ceremony with his brother, ROLAND and RUTH PARKER.); ABBIE E. PARKER, dau. of ABRAHAM PARKER and EDITH (GUPTILL) PARKER, b. 26 Jan. 1895, d. 14 June 1987 ae 92.

Children of Jesse and Abbie (Parker), surname Decker:

35. (i). LUCRETIA DIANA, b. At Baldwin 14 April 1914; m. (1st), at Hiram, 10 Dec. 1932 ELMER HENRY MARTIN, b. 18 Aug. 1912, d. 1995, div. in 1938. She m. (2nd) 26 Aug. 1941, ROYAL STUART PARKER of Hoverhill, MA, div. 1945. She m. (3rd) 12 May 1947 PHILIP SAWTELLE DOUGLAS, b. 29 Jan. 1908.

(ii). CHESTER LOTHIAN., b. at Baldwin, 13 March 1917 (ME VR); m. at Hiram, ME 1 Sept 1948, ANGIE M. (CRAWFORD) YORK, dau. of JOHN CRAWFORD and MAUD PERKINS (ibid). Div. 30 Oct. 1952 (ME VR [Cumberland Co.]). He was a truck driver.

(iii). LINDLEY ABRAHAM, b. at Baldwin, 5 Jan. 1922; m. at Sebago, 15 June 1940 by Sara Fitch, Public Notary, ELEANOR BERTHA CUSHMAN, b. at Sebago, ca. 1922. Lindley was a carpenter.

Children of Lindley and Eleanor (Cushman) surname Decker, all b. at Sebago:

(1). LEANNE ATHENA b. 17 Dec. 1941 (ME VR); m. June 1963 BRIAN G. REINHARD.

(2). DUANE, b. 27 Nov. 1942.

(3). LINDA JANE, b. 4 April 1949.

(iv). LORRAINE DOLORES, b. At Baldwin 10 Dec. 1928; m. at Westbrook, (Cumberland Co.), ME, 30 June 1948, YVES E. BARRIAULT, (ME VR), Ch. of THEODORE and MARY LOUISE (AUDET) BARRIAULT.

Children of Yves and Lorraine (Decker), surname Barriault, all b. at Portland

(1). EDGAR SHAWN, b. 28 Aug 1950.

(2). SHARON DARIENE, b. 17 Sept. 1952, res. at Baldwin in 1992.

(3). SHEILA DAWN, b. 16 Dec. 1955, res. at Baldwin in 1995.

(4). SHELLEY, d. 1968 ae. 5 yrs.

(v). EDITH FAY, b. at Baldwin, 28 Jan. 1931 (ME VR Births); m. Zezar Falls, ME 2 Sept. 1951, ARNOLD REGINALD CUTTING, son of ARNOLD S. and MARGARET (ADAMS) CUTTING. Ch. AMBER BELINDA, b. at Baldwin, 8 March 1952; AIMEE BIANCA.

3. ROLAND P. DECKER, b. ca 1889, m. RUTH M. PARKER 6 May 1914 (ME VR [marriage]).
4. NORMAN H. DECKER
5. HAROLD DECKER, b. 8 Sep 1893, d. Dec. 1927, (ME VR), m. MILDRED BURNELL, dau of HENRY BURNELL.

iv. ABBIE; m. JOHN FRAYZIER, a druggist in Boston.

v. LIZZIE A., b. 25 Nov. 1860, d. at Sebago, 7 July 1907; m. HENRY ROSS, of Sebago. d.s.p.

vi. HATTIE M., b. 13 Sept. 1870, d. at Boston, MA, 25 Dec. 1907; m. DAVID WYMAN, of Boston, a printer for the *Christian Herald Monitor.* d.s.p.

35. LUCRETIA DIANA was born 14 April 1914 and married (1st) at Hirham, ME 10 Dec. 1932, ELMER HENRY MARTIN, who was born 8 Aug. 1912, divorced Cumberland Supreme Court 1938 (ME VR Cumberland Co. 24:39). Lucretia lives on the "Cider Jim Douglas Place" at Bridgton, located on Douglas Hill in 1998. When most have retired, she remains a very busy person as a columnist writing "The Cricket" in *The Bridgton News* about rural life when she was growing up.

Children of Lucretia Diana and Elmer, surname Martin:

i. DIANA, b. 6 Oct. 1934 (ME VR [births and deaths]) m. (1st) JAMES HARLAND LIBBY, 1953, div. m. (2nd) FERNANDO LETELLIER, a telephone engineer who works New England states in 1997. Diane retired in 1997 following 20 years with Ntl. Semiconductor Electronics.

Children of Diana and James, surname Libby:

1. MELODY LYNN; b. 31 Mar. 1954, Sebago, ME; m. (1st) CHRIS DECKER. Ch. JEREMY; JENNA; m. (2nd) Aug. 1981 ROBERT AUDETTE.

2 BONNIE L., b. 25 Nov. 1955 Sebago; m. Oct. 1983 RICHARD ROBINSON, Ch. Isaac.

3. JAMIE DIANA, b. 5 Sep. 1957, Portland; m. Nov. 1983 DAVID SHEA. Ch. ISAAC ROBINSON; JACOB, b. 1984; FOREST SANBORN.

4. DIANA LUCRETIA b. 20 Dec. 1959, Portland; m. (1st) MIKE FOLEY, Ch. NICOLAS, div. 1979; m. (2nd) BRIAN O'GRADY, Ch. DANIEL, div. 1985.
5. DAVID MATTHEW, b. 10 Jun. 1961, Portland; m. RAMONA THOMAS, Ch. JOSHUA, JOSEPH.
6. TINA MARIE, b. 16 Aug. 1964 Westbrook; m 5 Nov. 1993 RICHARD HOOK, Ch. CHRISTOPHER (step son); PHILLIP; ERIC; RACHEL; MOLLY. Res. in NC in 1997.
7. DAVE MARTIN, b. 12 Jan. 1968, Portland; m. Nov. 1991 LORI AMAUNTE. Ch. MATHEW; JACKOLYN (JACKIE).

ii. DANIEL HENRY, b. 26 Jul. 1937; d. 31 July 1937 (ME VR).

iii. MARK CARLETON, b. 1 Apr. 1938, Sebago; d. 1 Apr. 1938 (ME VR).

Lucretia Diana (Decker/Martin) m. (2nd) 26 Aug. 1941, ROYAL STUART PARKER, of Howerhill, MA, div. Nov. 1944.

Children of Lucretia and Royal, surname Parker:

iv. ABRAHAM, b. 22 Jun. 1942; m. 14 Aug. 1961 PATTI LaPOINT, b. 6 Oct. 1942. Abraham served 8 yrs. in U.S.Air Force and ca. 13 yrs. in Air Ntl. Guard. He was road commissioner for a yr. and in 1997 is a full time public works director for Town of Brownfield, drives 18-wheelers part-time.

Children of ABRAHAM and PATTI (LaPOINT), surname Parker:

1. MICHAEL SAWTELLE, b. 30 June 1964, m. SHEILA BACHELDOR, Ch. KATIE.
2. CHRISTOPHER EVANS; m. LYNN BURNELL. Chris, retired Marine, was blown out of bed in an explosion in the marine barracks in Lebanon. In 1997 he is a guard at the Correctional Center and in the timber business with his brother.
3. ANDREW, unm.
4. LUKE.
5. COURTNEY, ch. ABRAHAM.

Lucretia Diana (Decker/Martin) Parker m. (3rd.) 12 May 1947, PHILIP SAWTELLE DOUGLAS b. 29 Jan. 1908, d. 3 Dec. 1984.

Children of Lucretia (Decker/Martin) and Phillip, surname Douglas:

v. PHILIP STEPHEN, b. 21 Jan. 1948; m. 19 April 1969 RUTH ANN MULDERIG. Ch. SCOTT STEPHEN, b. 15 Oct. 1977; JODY MARIE, b. 26 Nov. 1973, m. SCOTT BLANCHET, Ch. NATHAN; HEIDI LYNN, b. 14 Aug. 1975; m. CHRISTOPHER BURNELL. Philip Stephen delivered mail for many yrs., and was a selectman for 2 yrs. Steve operates heavy equipment.

34. ELLERY HARLAND[8] WARD was born 23 August 1879 and died at age 76, 17 September 1955 (other records show died 22 July 1955). He married (1st)____ and married (2nd) at Bridgton, 24 December 1906, EVA ALICE DOUGLASS, daughter of THOMAS JEFFERSON and ELIZA J. DOUGLASS. Eva was born at Sebago, 23 August 1879 and died 10 May 1964 (Other records show she was born 12 May 1890 and died 9 April 1964). Ellery was a partner with his father in the plumbing firm of M. Ward & Son until 1926 when his father died. When the family homestead at Sebago burned, they

removed to Steep Falls. There they bought a home and owned and operated a hardwood mill until Ellery's death. Both are buried at the Steep Falls Cemetery.

Eva's father, Thomas Jefferson Douglass, was a native of Bridgton, the son of DANIEL and MARY (SAWYER) DOUGLASS of West Bridgton. Thomas Douglass resided at Sanford, ME where he was in partnership as a blacksmith. He died aged 63 from a short illness of neuralgia of the heart. His funeral service was conducted by Mrs. Mary lborn of the Advent Church. He was buried in the Forest Hill Cemetery at Sanford.

Children of Ellery Harland and Eva (Douglas) all b. at Sebago, surname Ward:

i. ARNOLD WARREN, b. 10 April 1908, d. 10 Nov. 1960, bur. at Steep Falls Cem., (g.s.); m. 25 Nov. 1926, RUTH WALLACE, b. 17 March 1911.
Children of Arnold and Ruth (Wallace), surname Ward:
   1. ELINOR MARION, b. at Standish 2 Feb. 1928; m. 29 Sep. 1944, FRED LANE, b. 18 Aug. 1917. Ch. MARILEE; MARILYN; JOANNE; KATHLEEN; PAUL; EVA ALICE; GEORGE.
   2. HAZEL GERTRUDE, b. at Phippsburg, ME 12 Nov. 1929, m. (1st) 12 Dec. 1947, MARTIN LAUGHLIN. Ch. of Hazel and Martin: PATRICK; LUTHER; MICHAEL IRVIN; ELLIOTT JORDAN; RICHARD WARREN; ROSEMARY LOUISE. Hazel m. (2nd) 1965, FRANK L. OLIVER, b. Aug. 1924. d.s.p.
   3. EARL FORESTON, b. at Phippsburg 3 May 1931; m. (1st) 16 June 1952, ARLENE ESTES. Ch. of Earl and Arlene: JOAN ELLEN; RACHEL SVANNE; DERRAL NOBLE; EARL, m. (2nd) 1960, SHARON BUSHLEY. Ch. CRYSTAL; EARL, JR.; CYNTHIA LEE; EARL m. (3rd) KAREN JENSEN. Ch. WILLIAM ARNOLD.
   4. RAYMOND ELLIOT, b. at Harpswell, ME 21 Sept. 1933, d. 26 Dec. 1933.
   5. BARBARA ELLEN, b. at Standish, 10 March 1935; m. (1st) 17 Nov. 1950 KENNETH HARRINGTON. Ch. KENNETH, JR. BARBARA m. (2nd) 8 Nov. 1958, NORMAN E. NEWTON, b. 15 July 1923, d. 7 Oct. 1961. Norman served in ME AMMH2 USN in WW II. Ch. of Barbara and Norman: ANDREA LYN; WAYNE ARTHUR; GAYLE AUDREY, b. 22 Jan. 1959, d. 16 Aug. 1959; Barbara m. (3rd) CLARENCE PENDLETON. Ch. JOHN CLAYTON, b. 8 Oct 1962, d. 17 Nov. 1962; m. (4th) HENRY McPHEE. d.s.p.
   6. PATRICIA ARLETTA, b. at Standish 29 April 1937; m. (1st) 6 Jan. 1955, DONALD PENDEXTER. Ch. PENNY CAROL; CANDY JOYCE; MARY ANN. Patricia m. (2nd) 4 Aug. 1967 RUSSELL LOWE. Ch. SCOTT ALAN, b. 13 Aug. 1965.
   7. DAVID HENRY b. 30 Sept. 1942; m. 24 Dec. 1960, PATRICIA MacGOWAN. Ch. DEBORAH JEAN; ROBERTA CHRISTINE; JACKIE LYNN; DONALD PERRY.

ii. MARION LIZZIE, b. at 17 Aug. 1910, d. 9 Oct. 1964. Bur. at Steep Falls Cem., (g.s.). Married 19 Aug. 1927 MAURICE H. GRAFFON. Attended primary and grammar school at Larrabee School House completing high school at the Potter Academy. Class graduating trip in 1927 was a visit to Washington, DC. She

was a prominent member of the Orders of The Pythian Sisters and The Royal Neighbors of America. Her interest lay in literature and music.

36. iii. ELLERY HARLAND[9], JR. b. 15 April 1913, d. at Portsmouth, NH, 30 July 1995, bur. at Steep Falls Cem.(*The Bridgton News* obit 3 Aug. 1995); m. at Swindon, of Swindon Wiltshire, England 29 Nov. 1945, NELLIE AGGETT, dau. of WILLIAM and MAUD AGGETT.

iv. ALICE ESTELLE, b. 4 March 1915, d. 3 June 1975, bur. at Steep Falls Cem. (g.s.); m. 1934 WILLIAM APPLETON MERSERVE.

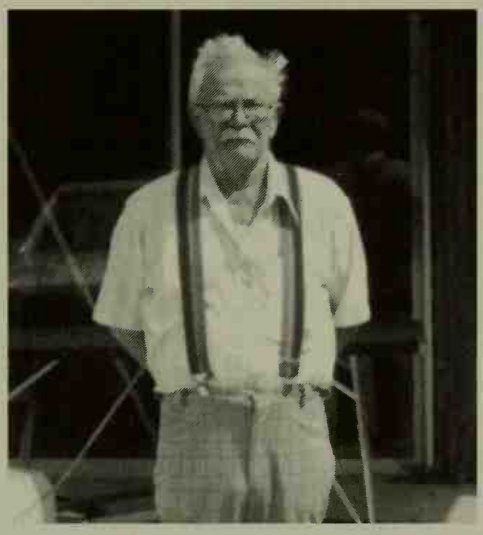
v. OLIVE MAY b. 28 March 1917, d. in CA; m. 11 June 1981 her cousin HARRY L. HANSCOM, b. 22 Feb. 1904, son of Shurburn and Flora (Waterman) Hanscom.

vi. RUTH ELLA, b. 5 March 1919, d. 18 March 1977; m. CHARLES BART.

36a. vii. WILLIAM MARCELLUS, b. at 25 July 1920; m. at Limington, ME, 20 April 1942, BETTY MARIE (GAIN), b. at Porter, ME, 26 Sept. 1924, dau. of CHARLES WILLIAM and WINN HAZEL (WYMAN) GAIN. Res. at Steep Falls in 1997 where he is active in plumbing business.

viii. MORRIS EDWIN, b. 9 Jan. 1926, d. 1 March 1945. PFC 3041 NF ME 76 Div. Killed at ae. 19 at the Battle of Bulge in WWI (gs. Steep Falls Cem).

36. ELLERY HARLAND[9] WARD, JR, son of Ellery Harland and Eva Douglas Ward graduated from the Standish High School. In his letter to Ellery of 11 December 1941, Maine's governor acknowledged the state's appreciation to Ellery for his heroic act in organizing and conducting a dangerous rescue party of the "Don Disaster" at Bailey's Island. This cruise boat was lost with all hands. Ellery was working there with his father in the plumbing business. He entered the 9th Army Air Corps 9 June 1942 and trained at Miami Beach, FL and Columbus, OH, completing his training at Stinson Field at San Antonio, TX. He was attached to the 30th Depot Repair Squadron, 30th Air Group and served with this group in England, France, Belgium and Germany until his honorable discharge 20 March 1946.



Ellery Harland Ward, Jr.

Following the war he returned to Steep Falls where he settled with his wife. He was a plumber there. Later he and Nell were in the lobster trap business, and operated weekly auctions. He owned the old tavern which was built in 1820 by Mr. Charles and sold to Mr. Warren, an innkeeper in 1838.

His life long interest in history became evident in his painstakingly transcribing the correspondence of Malcolm McArthur, a local Civil War hero,

which described the action at the Dakota Territory during that conflict. This work is owned by Bowdoin College at Brunswick, ME. Students and researchers from as far away as England and Hawaii are known to have interviewed him at his home and book store.

Ellery retired and opened the "Ward's Book Barn" in his tavern, specializing in out-of-print books. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at Hiram, and the Knights of Pythias at Steep Falls. After retirement from his book business in 1990, he removed to Portsmouth, NH.

Children of Ellery and Nellie (Aggett), surname Ward:

i. ELAINE MARCIA, b. 24 Aug. 1946; m. EDWARD FRANCIS (FRANK) CASAZZA, b. 13 May 1930. They sold their large apple orchard at Limington, and operate a successful auctioneering business. She was a selectperson at Limington in 1996, a real estate broker and auctioneer.

ii. ELLERY H. III, b. 10 Aug. 1947, res. at Kittery, ME; m (3rd) GERALDINE BOTSWAN. Works in a restaurant.

iii. LEROY ONVILLE, b. 30 Sept. 1948, d. in a motorcycle accident, 20 May 1973. Had rating of BM 3 in U.S.Navy in Vietnam; m. ELIZABETH MITCHELL. Dau. MELISSA. Leroy bur. at Steep Falls Cem. (g.s.).

iv. CYNTHIA MARGUERITE, b. 11 Jan. 1951; m. (1st) LARRY RICCIPELLI, general contractor; m. (2nd) HOWARD HARMON. Res.at Limington in 1996. Cynthia owns and operates an ice cream business.

v. LLEWELLYNE ASHVILLE, b. 10 Dec. 1951; m. NANCY ARSENAULT. He works with GTE/Sylvania. Ch. LLEWELLYNE, JR.; HEIDI, LYNNE. Res. at Baldwin.

vi. CLARISSA GAIL, b. 2 Nov. 1952; m. (1st) PAUL ARSENAULT, div. She works with GTE at Limington. Ch SARAH, PAUL, JR., ANANDA. Clarissaa Gail res. at Bar Mills, ME in 1997.

vii. CASSENDRA MERRIAM, b. 17 Nov. 1953; m. WILLIAM KIRBY, who works at Portsmouth, NH Naval Shipyard. Res. at Portsmouth, NH. Ch. MALCOM, a mechanic at Portsmouth; MARCELLUS. Cassendra works with the Welfare Dept.

viii. AMARYLLIS IVY, b. 2 Nov. 1952; m. HAROLD FOSTER, res. in Delaware, div. after 25 yrs. Ch. MONICA; LEROY; MICHELLE. Amaryllis works for Bailey, Corp. at Portsmouth.

ix. ROSALIND MARCELLA, b. 14 March 1956, d. 9 May 1992, bur. Steep Falls Cem. (g.s.).

x. MARCELLUS GEORGE, b. 26 May 1957. Res. at Portland. Unm.

xi. MAHLON EDWARD, b. 9 May 1959, res. at Steep Falls. Is a Mason.

xii. MORRIS EDWIN, b. 23 May 1962. Served in the U.S.Navy for 4 yrs. Res at Steep Falls. Is a truck driver.

36a. WILLIAM MARCELLUS, b. at 25 July 1920; m. at Limington, ME, 20 April 1942, BETTY MARIE (GAIN), b. at Porter, ME, 26 Sept. 1924, dau. of CHARLES WILLIAM and WINN HAZEL (WYMAN) GAIN. Res. at Steep Falls in 1997 where he is active in plumbing business.

William Marcellus and Betty (Gain) Ward

Children of William Marcellus and Betty Marie (Gain), surname Ward:

i. WILLIAM MARCELLUS,[10] JR., b. at Portland, ME, 26 Feb. 1946, m. at Steep Falls, ME, 14 June 1969, LINDA JEAN FELT, b. 26 April 1948, dau. of LINWOOD and BEATRICE FELT. Ch. WENDY LEE, b. at Portland, 26 July 1970; m. 30 Dec. 1987 DWAYNE ST. OURS; BRITNEY NICOLE b. 1 Aug. 1988; ROBERT WILLIAM, b. at Portland 19 May 1973, m. 27 May 1989, CHRISTINE V. NORRIS b. 8 Dec. 1975, Ch. ALEX WILLIAM b. 3 Apr. 1994.

ii. WILLARD MARSHALL, b. at Portland, 9 July 1947; m. (1st) 5 Feb. 1969, GRACE LUFKIN, dau. of GEORGE LUFKIN. Ch. ANN MARIE, b. 3 Oct. 1969, m. 24 Nov. 1990, WALTER ERIC BERRY. Ch. COURTNEY ANN b. 25 Nov. 1993; JILLIAN ERICA, b. Jan 1 1996. Willard m. (2nd) 2 June 1973, YVETTE IRENE THIBEAU, b. 20 Feb. 1944, Ch. JASON MICHAEL, b. at Portland, 13 April 1976.

iii. MARIE ILENE, b. at Portland, 19 Aug. 1948; m. (1st) at Westbrook, ME, 13 Nov. 1966, RICHARD JOSEPH TANGUAY, b. at Portland, 26 Sept. 1924, son of ALBERT and ANNA TANGUAY, Ch. RICHARD ALBERT b. at Portland, 5 Oct. 1967, m. 18 July 1992, MICHELE MAE McKIERNEY; Ch. CHEYLENNE ADA b. 10 May 1993; RICHARD CODY b. 30 May 1994; PHILIP WILLIAM, b. at Portland, 10 May 1969, m. 24 July 1993, KRISTEN OSGOOD, Ch. NATHANIEL PHILIP b. 19 Jul. 1996. Marie m. (2nd) at Steep Falls, ME, 16 Dec. 1973 WILLIAM HALL CALVERT III, b. at Portland, 7 Nov. 1947, son of WILLIAM HALL CALVERT, JR., Ch. NICHOLAS BRANDON b. 9 Dec. 1986, at Loring AF Base, Limeston, ME.

iv. DOROTHY MAY, b. at Portland, 7 July 1950; m. at Limrick, ME.28 June 1969, PAUL STEVEN MICHAEL MOODY, b. 22 Dec. 1948, son of ELDO and FRANCES DAY MOODY. Ch. CATHERINE G., b. at Sumpter, SC, 31 May 1970; JULIE ANNE, b. 17 June 1972, m. 25 June 1994, TYLER TURNER b. 16 Dec. 1971, Ch. RYLIE BREANNE, b. 29 Nov. 1996; JEREMIAH BRANDON, b. 4 Oct. 1974, m. 30 Nov. 1995 JENNIFER COOK Ch. ZACKARY b. 3 Mar. 1996.

v. WAYNE MORRIS, b. at Westbrook. ME, 21 March 1954; m. at Steep Falls, ME, 19 April 1973, THERESA ANN ARSENAULT, b. 16 March 1955, dau. of ROLAND and NANCY GREEN ARSENAULT. Ch. TAMMY SUE, b. at Portland, 9 Nov. 1973, m. 18 Feb. 1995, ROBERT WILLIAM HARMON, Ch.

CHANDLER WILLIAM b. 16 Sep. 1996; EVA MARIE, b. at Portland, 21 Apr. 1977, m. May 1997 JAMES CONNALLY b. 11 Mar. 1972.

vi. CHARLES HARLAND, b. at Portland, 28 Aug. 1959; m. at Steep Falls, 22 July 1978, SHERRY ANN ESTABROOK, b. 17 Aug. 1959, dau. of EDWARD ESTABROOK.

vii. PETER LEE, b. at Portland, 2 Sept. 1961; m. 5 July 1987, CYNTHIA ANN FOWLER, div.

Notes to Chapter 9

1. Scarboro ME VR,(Births, Deaths, Marriages), p. 9.
2. ibid (Marriages).
3. Linwood P. Fickett,*Notes of Fickett and Allied Families,*

See "THE WARD FAMILY of Standish, Scarboro and Sebago, ME," owned by Maine Historical Society, Portland, p. 150.

4. Scarboro VR, [Births], p. 9.
5. ibid, ME VR, [Deaths].

The Douglass family seems to have dropped the second "s" in their name in later generations.

In addition to vital records, information of the vital information of the families of this chapter was taken from: Stanley Alden and Marion (Eaton) Ward, *A 12 Generation Lineage Presentation of the Early Family of Willis Woodbury Ward (1860-1915) Commencing With George Ward (Eastham, Massachusetts, 1700)*: Ann Arbor MI, 1989, Also owned by NEHGS, Boston; Fickett Family Records, copy owned by Maine Historical Soc., Portland; George Ward Family Records and Ellery H. Ward papers held by his daughter, Mrs. Edward (Elaine) Casazza, of Limington, ME and his widow, Nell Ward. Family records received from William and Betty Ward of Steep Falls are appreciated.

CHAPTER 10

Rev. William and Mary (Libby) Ward at Standish, Maine

The Rev. WILLIAM[5] (Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) WARD was the fourth child of Jonathan and Sarah (Hall) Ward of Standish. He was born at Standish, 18 December 1799, and died 20 March 1879. He was listed with the family in Sears *Early Families of Standish,* p. 296. William Ward married Mary Libby, intention entered 20 January 1821.[1] She was born about 1798/99 and died 21 October 1873 aged 74. Mary was the sister of Elizabeth Libby, who married Williams's brother, George. The sisters were the daughters of Thomas and Mary Libby. William and Mary Ward lived first in North Sebago on the Mountain Road on the farm later owned by Stephen McDonald. Later they removed to the top of Jim Shaw's hill a quarter mile from the road. In 1850, William was 51 and a farmer with his wife Mary, aged 52. The census lists his real estate valued at $700. A laborer, 29 year-old Josiah Jordan and 16 year-old Rebecca Jordan, were also residing in this household.[2]

Children of William and Mary (Libby) Ward, surname Ward:

i. HORACE[6] B., b. 24 Nov. 1821, at Scarboro, ME. (Scarboro VR, p. 31); m. ELEANOR M. ___. He was a night watchman at the mill. Res. in Biddeford, ME. Ch. WILLIAM; ANNA and another dau.

37. ii. SHURBURN[6], b. 10 Aug. 1824 (Scarboro VR, p. 31), d. 23 March 1906; m. SARAH (SALLY) WARD, b. 10 April 1828, d. 27 Jan. 1898, dau. of David and Harriet Ward. Both bur. N. Sebago Lakeside Cem. (g.s.). (See ch. 13).

iii. SARAH H. (Sally), b. 1827, d. ae. 76, 13 June 1903. Bur. at N. Sebago Lakeside Cem. (g.s.). Res. with her bro., Charles. She kept house for him after his father's death (U.S. 1880 Sebago Census, p. 9), unm.

iv. NEHUM L., b. 1828, d. ae. 47, 3 Oct. 1875; m. LUCINDE EMERSON, b. 1829, d. ae. 50, 25 May 1879, Both bur. N. Sebago Lakeside Cem. (g.s.).

v. CHARLES N., b. 1835, d. 1911. Res. on his father's farm. Sunday School Supt. for many years, unm.

37. SHURBURN[6] WARD had a sawmill located in back of the house. The house burned about 1890. After the fire he bought the house used by NEHUM WARD, known as the McDonald Place. In 1850, Shurburn, aged 25 was a carpenter. His wife and cousin,was aged 22. Real estate was valued at $150 in the census.[3]

Children of Shurburn and Sarah (Ward), surname Ward (See ch. 13):

i. MARY ETTA, b. at Sebago, 22 July 1851; m. ICHABOD WARREN, b. 1814, d. 1902. A Civil War veteran of Denmark, ME. Ch. JOHN WARREN; LAFAYETTE; STEPHEN SIDNEY, res. on the Shurburn Ward place;

HENRY, m. his cousin LULU GREGORY; CYNTHIA HELEN (twin with Henry), m. her cousin VERNIE GREGORY, son of Albert and Ida (Ward) Gregory. (See below).

ii. HELEN[7], (twin to Ellen), b. at Sebago, 3 June 1854, d. 30 Aug. 1887; m. MARCELLUS WARD, her 6th cousin, son of William and Mary Ann (Fickett) Ward. (see ch. 9). She was "working for a clothes factory", ae. 15. (1870 Sebago Census).

iii. ELLEN[7], (twin to Helen), b. 3 June 1854, d. 21 Mar. 1921, m. 29 Oct. 1876, JAIRUS HANSCOM, of Standish, b. 1858, d. 1936, son of Ira Foss and Caroline (Rowlett) Hanscom and bro. of Laura Jean Hanscom who m. Isaac Hall Ward , a 4th cousin of Maria Ann Hanscom who m. Isaac Ward in 1858. (See ch. 12, 14). Res. at Smith's Mills, then at Steep Falls. One son, SHURBURN LIBBY HANSCOM, b. 25 Dec. 1879, d. 1944; m. FLORA WATERMAN, b. 1876, d. 1924. Ellen worked for clothing factory, as did her twin sister.

Children of Shurburn and Flora (Waterman) surname Hanscom:

1. CLARENCE L[8], b. 14 Feb. 1900. Res. on Clinton St., Portland, ME. He was foreman for Ripley Motors.
2. RALPH HARLAND, b. Feb. 1902, d. 1919.
3. HARRY, b. 22 Feb. 1904; m. OLIVE MAY WARD, his 3rd cousin, dau. of Ellery Harland and Eva (Douglas) Ward. (See Ch. 9).
4. IDA, b. 16 Aug. 1906; m. WILLIAM HUBBARD. Res. at Steep Falls. CLYDE HANSCOM, a contractor at Steep Falls in 1994, is a descendant.

iv. IDIA, b. 22 Aug. 1861, d. 12 June 1934; m. 30 May 1889, JAMES ALBERT GREGORY, b. in Nova Scotia 1870 . He bought and res. on the Jim Shaw Place at N. Sebago.

Children of Albert and Idia (Ward), surname Gregory:

1. LIZZIE[8]; m. 17 Jul. 1917 HARVEY JOHNSON. Res. on Bailey's Island. Ch. JEANETTE; ALBERT; GRANVILLE; GEORGE; BARBARA.
2. VERNIE, b. 1899; m. his cousin CYNTHIA HELEN WARREN, b. 1894. Ch. JOHN H; ELLINOR; ALBERT. (A fourth child not identified).
3. LULU; m. her cousin, HENRY WARREN, of Denmark, ME, son of Ichabod and Mary Etta Warren (see above). Res. at Steep Falls. Dau. MARIE.
4. BERTHA GREGORY; m. 1 Sep. 1919 GUY SMITH.

v. FLORENCE m. CLARENCE GERRY.

Notes for Chapter 10

1. Scarbroro VR, p. 197.
2. U.S.1850 Census, Sebago, ME.
3. Ibid.

CHAPTER 11

Jacob and Susan (Baker) Ward at Windham

JACOB[5] WARD (Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) was born at Gorham, 6 April 1802[1] and died 5 June 1885 aged 83 years, 3 months. He married 6 February 1823, SUSAN BAKER, daughter of JOSIAH and ELIZABETH (LEGROW) BAKER, of Windham. Susan was born in 1798.[2] Jacob Ward "was for some years known to the travelling public as a hotel proprietor in Portland and elsewhere, gaining hosts of friends." [3]

Children of Jacob and Susan (Baker), surname Ward:

38. i. ICHABOD[6] BAKER, b. at E. Windham, 21 Sept. 1824/5, d. at Bridgton, 26 May 1900 of pneumonia; m. 25 Oct. 1845 MARY ANN WARD, (Windham VR, cop. ca. 1900 by Joseph P.Thompson), b. 30 Nov. 1823, d. 21 Dec. 1903..

ii. JULIA A., b. 1828, d. 1856.

iii. SUSIE A., b. 1835, d. 1907; m. 18 Oct. 1862, WILLIAM H. LIBBY, b. 1 Dec. 1836, d. 1911, son of BRYANT and ELIZABETH LIBBY, of Lagrange, ME. d.s.p.

iv. JOSIAH B., b. 1839, d. 25 May 1865. Mustered at Windham in Co. C, 30th Reg., d. at General Hospital, VA ae. 25. (Thos. Laurens Smith, *Hist. of the Town of Windham*, pp. 45-46, 56). (See app. H for more information about Josiah's military service.)

v. GEORGE E. (EDWARD), b. probably at Portland, Dec. 1840, christened 10 Dec. 1840, Portland, Cumberland Co., ME (*The Second Book of Records of the Town of Portland of Marriages, births and deaths ca, 1773-1816*, vol. 3), d. in a tragic fire at Socorro, NM, 6 April 1886. m. ANNA, b. 1842, d. 1884. Ch. HOWARD L; ELMER I., b. 10 Sep. 1858, d. 13 Dec. 1939, m. LILLIAN M. FOSTER, b. Apr. 1859, d. 13 Mar. 1927; STELLA B., b. 1860, d. 1938, m. J. ALPHONSO FIELD.

38. ICHABOD[6] BAKER WARD, the first child of Jacob and Susan Ward, was born at Windham, ME, 21 Sept. 1825. He died at Bridgton, ME of pneumonia 26 May 1900, aged 75 years, 9 months, 5 days.[4] He married his first cousin, MARY ANN WARD who was born at Scarborough 30 November 1823 and died 21 December 1903. She was the daughter of George and Elizabeth (Libby) Ward. (See ch. 9).

From about 1870 to his death in 1900, about thirty years, he engaged as a farmer and lumberman at Bridgton. Ichabod was an active Republican, and belonged to the Free-Will Baptist Church. The Bridgton News (ca. June 1885) stated that "he was one of Bridgton's best known and respected townsmen." The obituary stated the internment was in the family lot in North Windham. Other

records stated both he and his wife are buried in Arlington Cemetery, section 6, in North Windham.[5]

Children of Ichabod and Mary Ann (Ward), surname Ward:

i. ANTOINETTE[7] M., b. 1843, d. after July 1882; m. 9 June 1878, IRA HALEY, b. ca. 1814, d. at Bridgton 23 March 1902, ae. 61 yrs., 3 mos., 4 dys. son of DANIEL (b. at Limington) and MARTHA (L. ADAMS) HALEY (b. at Tamworth, NH), of Waterford, ME. (Bridgton VR, p. 28). He first built on Haley Street, named for him, lately known as Pine Street. (History of Bridgton, p. 587). Ch. EVERETT L., b. at Bridgton, 24 May 1879; ALICE, b. 30 June 1882, unm., a nurse at Portland.

ii. HENRIETTA[7] H., b. 1846; m. CHARLES ANTONIO LOPEZ, d. 1869. Ch. CHARLES, m. NELLIE PAINE; ALICE who d.y.

iii. CHARLES MAY, b. 1851, d. 11 Sept. 1853, ae. 1 yr., 6 mos., 21 dys., bur. at Arlington Cem., Sec. 6 N. Windham.

iv. CASSIUS[7] (CASH) C., b. at Bridgton, 20 Feb. 1852, d. ae. 80 yrs., 10 mos., 29 dys., at Portland, 19 Jan. 1933 of heart disease and atherosclerosis, bur. at Village Cem., S. Bridgton. (ME VR [Death]); m. HANNAH C. BUCKLEY, b. at St. Johnsbury, New Brunswick, Canada, 10 June 1855, d. at Freeport, ME, Oct. 1938. Cash farmed at Durham, ME where he lost his home by fire, then rem. to Portland and res. with his son, John. (See below).

Children of Cash and Hannah (Buckley), surname Ward:

1. HENRY[8] W., b. at S. Bridgton, 28 Feb. 1885, d. ae. 25 unm. in an accident at Portland, 17 Aug. 1910 (Bridgton VR , p. 52). Made and played the violin.
2. JOHN LOGAN, b. at Bridgton, 4 Sept. 1887, d. at Portland, 19 July 1975, of cardiacarrest, bur. at Forest City Cem, S. Portland, (ME VR [Death]); m. 1916, ANNIE L. WELLS, b. at W. Buxton, ME, 18 Feb. 1893, d. 3 June 1973. He was a carpenter; made Chriscraft boats. Ch. ARISTEEN H., b. 5 Oct. 1918. She ret. from a Portland bank. Res. at Portland in 1993, unm.

v. HENRY[7] CLAY (Twin to Cash), b. at Bridgton, 20 Feb. 1852, d. 1907/8.

vi. WILLIS WOODBURY[7], b. at W. Baldwin, ME, Oct. 1861, d. ae. 54 at Cornish, ME of diabetes/gangrene complication of diabetes, 25 Oct. 1915 (ME VR [Death]); m. 13 Dec. 1882, GEORGIANNA (GORGANIA,GEORGANNA, GEORGIA ANNA) JEWELL of W. Baldwin, b. Dec.1866, d. ae. 53 at Bath, ME, 4 Jan. 1919 dau. of GEORGE WASHINGTON and ADELAIDE (ROUNDS) JEWELL. Willis res. at W. Baldwin, ME, and was a jeweler who repaired clocks and watches. Georgianna married (2nd) THOMAS ROSIGNOL. She is bur. at Calvary Cem., Portland (ME VR). Georgianna Jewell's father was one of three Civil War veteran pensioners at Baldwin. Georgianna's mother, Cornelia Adelaide Jewell, died ae. 80 ca. 3 Dec. 1928 at W. Baldwin in the house of her birth. Rev. Fergus Lea, minister of the Methodist Church, officiated. (Obit *The Press Herald*, 3 Dec. 1928). (Birth dates taken from Baldwin ([Cumberland Co.] Soundex, U.S 1900 Cenus).

Children of Willis Woodbury and Georgianna (Jewell), surname Ward:

39. 1. DANIEL ELLERY[8], b. 20 July 1884 at Cornish, ME, d. Jan 1970 at Portland, m. 24 Oct. 1905 SUSAN MARIE HONAN, b. at Ireland, ME, 5 April 1879, d. at Portland 1 March 1949.

40. 2. ELIZABETH EVELYN[8], b. at W. Baldwin 30 April 1886, d. 22 June 1960; m. PHILIP HUNT, b. 10 July 1844, d. 7 March 1955. Res. at Conway, NH. Both bur. at Brownfield, ME.

3. MARY E., b. at Bridgton, 14 Feb. 1888, d. June 1960; m. WILLIAM ANDREW BANCROFT, b. 18 Dec. 1886, d. 25 Nov. 1959, son of WILLIAM ANDREW BANCROFT. She is bur. at Lancaster, MA.

4. EUNICE A., b. at Baldwin, ME, Aug. 1890, d. ae. 27 ca. 1917; m. JOHN REED, both bur. at Cornish. A son, WALTER, b. at W. Baldwin, 28 July 1909, d. 14 Jan. 1986; m. 1 Sep. 1934 EVELYN BOWIE, b. 9 Apr. 1915.

5. DELBERT L.[8], b. Feb. 1892, d. 4 Dec. 1947; m. RUTH CLUFF, b. 25 April 1895, d. 21 Dec. 1993, bur. Arundel Cem., Kennebunkport, ME. He was gassed with mustard gas in France during WWI.

Children of Delbert and Ruth (Cluff), surname Ward:

(i). EMILY VIRGINIA WOODHULL[9], b. 30 Jan. 1912, d. 8 Feb. 1989; m. EARL MERRITT HARVEY, b. 2 Nov. 1906, d. 15 May 1980. Ch. ANDREW RICHARD, b. 18 Sep. 1935; SANDRA, b. 6 Apr. 1940.

(ii). GERALDINE MILDRED, b. 6 Sept. 1914; m. 3 Sep 1942 PENTISS LITTLEFIELD, b. 29 July 1916, d. 13 Oct.1989.

(iii). LEROY, b. 24 June 1916, d. 8 Nov. 1975; m. GRACE EATON, b. 7 May 1920. Ch. DERINDA, b. 13 Nov. 1946; DUANE EATON, b. 21 Aug. 1950.

(iv). MARJORIE JEWELL, b. 24 May 1918; m. LLOYD MOULTON. Ch. SHERRIE DAWN, b. 6 Nov. 1956.

(v). MURRAY DELBERT[9], b. 9 Jan. 1930 at his home in Kennebunkport, ME "in a blizzard", d. 14 May 1998, m. WILHELMINA FISCHER, b. 6 Dec. 1912. She is dau. of FREDERICK and EMILIE (KNAPP) FISCHER, of Germany, who came to this country and married as young people. Murray served in the 285th Heavy Maintenance Automotive Div. in Austria and Italy as a cook from 1951 to 1953 and worked as a cook in New York. She res. at Urbanna, VA in 1997.

6. CLARENCE NELSON[8], b. 2 March 1894 at Cornish, ME, d. 18 Nov. 1957, m. 17 July 1917, BERTHA ELLEN McKENNEY, dau. of FRED D. and MAUD (MANN) McKENNEY, b. at N. Sebago, ME, 1 July 1898, d. 15 Jan. 1964. Both are bur. at Cornish. Clarence was a WW I veteran, gassed with mustard gas in France in WWI. A member of American Legion, a road commissioner and a skilled mason. Worked on the Pierce farm at W. Baldwin which was owned by an attorney from NY. Bertha was postmistress at N. Sebago. Dau. BARBARA MAE, b. 10 Dec. 1917, m. 17 July 1936 ERWIN WINTHROP SHAW, b. 10 Aug. 1913, son of SUMNER and NELLIE SAWYER SHAW. Ch. WARD ERIC, b. 8 Dec. 1945.

41. 7. WALTER JEWELL[8], b. at W. Baldwin, 30 Dec. 1895 (ME VR), d. at Naples, ME, 18 March 1936 from influenza-bronco pneumonia; m. 25 Jan. 1915, LAURA BIRDINA PROCTOR, b. at Watertown, MA, (MA VR [Birth]), 3 Aug. 1895, d. ae. 100 at Kennebunk Nursing Center, 11 Sept. 1995, dau. of MARK ADELL and ROSETTA MAY (BRYANT)

PROCTOR (MA VR). Funeral service held at Naples Union Church.[9] Walter and Laura bur. at Naples Cem. Rt. 302.

8. FLORENCE HESTER[8], b. at W. Baldwin, 8 Aug. 1898, d. ae. 84, at Concord, MA, 12 Nov. 1982; m. (1st) LAWRENCE KIBBY, div., m. (2nd) THOMAS HAROLD DAWSON, d. Oct. 1978. Both bur. at Evergreen Cem., Portland, ME. (obit Portland, ME *Evening Express,* 13 Nov. 1982). d.s.p. Florence res. with her sister, ENOLA (WARD) MULCAHY at Concord, MA. after Thomas' death.
9. EVA BELLE, b. March 1900, d. 13 Nov. 1917, bur. at Cornish.
10. ENOLA JOSEPHINE[8], b. at W. Baldwin, ME, 5 July 1903; m. at Concord, MA, 17 July 1929, WILLIAM DENNIS MULCAHY, b. 25 March 1898, d. 23 Nov. 1956. d.s.p.. Enola completed normal school training at Plymouth, NH. Taught school at Epping, NH, Red Bank, NJ and Concord, MA completing 46 yrs. of teaching. She res. at Concord, MA. as of 1998.
11. WILLIS WOODBURY[8], JR., b. at W. Baldwin, ME, 5 June 1905, d. ae.71, of cancer, 27 May 1977, bur. at Bethel; m. at Methodist Church, Bethel, 19 Nov. 1927, ETHEL LEONA CAPEN, b. 16 Nov. 1903 at Bethel, dau. of CHARLES ALBERT and SUSAN ELIZABETH (MERRILL) CAPEN. Ethel res. at Bethel as of 1989. Willis was a carpenter, well-versed in hunting, lumbering and general farming, building maintenance and trucking. He was a sports enthusiast, a member of the Fish and Game Assoc. and the Bethel Methodist Chur. They res. at Bethel after 1926. Worked on a farm with his brother, Walter, and in Scarborough. Ethel taught school for many years at Bethel.
    Children of Willis and Ethel (Capen), surname Ward:
    (i). MARY ELIZABETH ("BETTY"), b. 10 Sept. 1928; m. 23 Dec. 1949 ROY MERLE LURVEY, son of MERLE and IVY LURVEY, of Locks Mills, ME. Ch. SANDRA, b. 20 Sep. 1950; MICHAEL ROY, b. 17 May 1952; KATHRYN JEAN, b. 5 Sep. 1955; PAUL ALLEN, b. 21 May 1957; DAVID BLAINE, b. 13 Feb. 1961; REBECCA LYNNE, b. 13 Nov. 1962. She grad. from Gould Academy and the Central Maine Gen. Hosp. School of Nursing at Lewiston. He grad. from Gould Academy and entered the U.S.Navy, 11 Nov. 1947. He attended the Naval School of Music at Washington, DC. and was assigned to the U.S.S. Boxer. He drove a fuel truck around Gorham 1 million miles without an accident.
    (ii). JOAN EVELYN, b. 4 May 1935, m. CLARENCE W. HOWE, JR. b. 8 Apr. 1933 son of CLARENCE AND STELLA HOWE. Ch. ROBERT WARD, b. 7 Aug. 1954; THOMAS SCOTT, b. 14 Mar. 1956.

39. DANIEL ELLERY[8] WARD was a "quick draw" and handled guns from age 8. He foiled a robbery in his grocery store with his pistol. Daniel was one of the few survivors of the "Cider War of 1892" during a prohibition period and a hard winter when numerous orchards produced apples good for little except cider, and expressed several stories about this in a newspaper article.[6] He was fire alarm operator for Portland's new fire alarm system, a position he held for

40 yrs. A High Mass of Requiem was said for him at the Sacred Heart Church at Portland. He is buried at Calvary Cemetery in Portland.

Children of Daniel Ellery and Susan (Honan), surname Ward:

i. JOHN JEREMIAH VINCENT[9], b. at Portland, 12 Dec. 1907, d. ae. 67, at Portland, 22 Oct. 1975; m. NOLA FRANCES SOURS, b. at Martinsville, VA, 1 April 1913, d. at Portland, 23 March 1973. Both are bur. at Falmouth, ME. Grad. of Georgetown Univ. School of Medicine, with internship at the Sick Children's Hospital, Washington, D.C. and practiced medicine at Portland for 34 yrs. retiring in 1970. He was a communicant of Holy Martyrs Church, past. pres. of Mercy Medical staff, member of the New England Obstetrical and Gynecological Soc., American Medical Assoc. and other medical associations. He was a member of the Portland Yacht Club, the Portland Country Club, the Cumberland Club and BPOE Elks.

   Children of Dr. John and Nola (Sours), surname Ward:

   1. CHARLES DANIEL, b. 31 Aug. 1935. As a 15-year old, he won a two-year scholarship at Yale Univ. skipping his senior year. He was one of 200 in the U.S. made possible by the Ford Foundation in a national competition. (Portland *Herald* 22 July 1951).
   2. JOANNA THERESA, b. 19 Sept. 1949. Adopt.

ii. WILLIS LEO[9], b. at Portland, 7 Aug. 1909, d. ae. 74, 31 May 1984 of acute myocardial infarction, anterior, bur. at Calvary Cem., S. Portland; m. 3 April 1945 CECILIAN ENID NADEAU, b. 7 May 1925, dau. of PHILIP EUGENE and DIANA MARIE (HAGGAN) NADEAU. Attended Providence College and Univ. of Alabama. He retired as district director of the U.S.Custom Service after 35 yrs. Prayers were said at Sacred Heart Church. (Obit. Portland, ME *Press Herald*, 1 June 1984). She res. at Bangor, ME as of 1996.

   Children of Willis and Cecilian (Nadeau), surname Ward:

   1. WILLIS WOODBURY, b. 24 March 1946; m. 8 Oct. 1990, at Paris, France, CATHERINE BRICE. He worked for Interpol.
   2. PHILIP EUGENE, b. 5 Sept. 1947.
   3. MARY MARGARET, b. 7 Dec. 1949; m. DENNIS I. HALSEY, res. at Scarboro in 1984.
   4. KATHERINE JANE, b. 27 May 1952; m. RONALD SNYDER, res. at Holden in 1984.

iii. MARY IMMACULATA[9], b. at Portland, 8 Dec. 1912, d. ae. 64, 22 Dec. 1976; m. GEORGE RAYMOND BOGNER. Res. at Merrimac, MA. d.s.p. She grad. from Cathedral High School, Portland, the Gorham Normal School, and was secretary of the Cathedral Guild Hall and chairman of the alumnae tea during the 25th anniv. of the class reunion of about 400 persons in 1912. She rec'd. her BA degree from Univ. of Alabama and Masters from Columbia Univ., NY. She was professor at Catholic Univ. Graduate School at Washington, DC as a social work educator and later was prof. in social work on continuing education at Boston Univ. She was a member of the Univ. Professor's AAUP, a member of Council of Social Work Education of the Columbia Univ. Alumni of New York and a member of Who's Who in American Women. (Portland, ME *Press Herald* 23 Dec. 1976). A communicant at the Holy Cross Church at S. Portland with bur. at Calvary Cem. Portland.

iv. EMILY CLARE, b. at Portland, 12 June (Jan.) 1914, d. 18 June 1984; m. PATRICK FRANCIS FLYNN, b. at Waterford, ME, and res. at S. Boston; d.

18 Jun. 1964. Obit spells "O'Fynn" as grad. of Waterford National Schools, Ireland, and worked for the First National Stores at Boston. Emily grad. from St. Joseph's Academy. She was a nurse's aid at Mercy Hosp. for 10 yrs. She was a communicant of Holy Cross Church, S. Portland. Bur. at Calvary Cem. So. Portland. (Portland *Press Herald* 20 June 1984 where ch. are listed).

Children of Patrick and Emily (Ward), surname Flynn:

1. THOMAS FRANCIS, b. 8 Oct. 1938, res. at Fairfield, CT.
2. DANIEL PATRICK, b. 22 April 1946, res. at Clinton, NJ.
3. SISTER PATRICIA CLARE, R.S.M. of St. Catherine Hall, b. 25 Feb. 1950.
4. SUSAN MARY, b. 27 Sept. 1951; m. JEFFREY D. SHOREY, res. at N. Yarmouth.

v. DONALD EUGENE[9], b. at Portland, 5 May 1916; m. 5 May 1939, MURIEL TODD, b. 6 Feb. 1911, dau. of GEORGE and SUSAN MARCELLA (TROBRIDGE) TODD. He worked on machinery design. Res. at Davie, FL. as of 1984. Ch. SUSAN JANE, b. 1 Feb. 1941; DONALD, JR., b. 26 March 1942; JOHN CRAIG, b. 2 Feb. 1945.

40. ELIZABETH EVELYN WARD[8] and PHILIP resided at Conway, NH.

Children of Philip and Elizabeth (Ward), surname Hunt:

i. PHILIP[9], b. at Conway, NH, 14 March 1919, d. 26 Dec. 1919.

ii. ELIZABETH ETTA, b. at Conway, NH 23 Feb. 1922; m. FRED THOMPSON, b. at Old Town, ME, 12 June 1911, d. 30 June 1982. d.s.p. Res. at Center Conway, NH. She res. at Kennebunkport, ME as of 1988.

41. WALTER JEWEL[8] WARD. Laura, Walter's wife, graduated from Brewster Academy in Winnfpasogt, NH. They resided on Broad Turn Road, at Scarboro. Following his death, she resided with her daughter, Helen. She died at the Kennebunk Nursing Center aged 100, 11 September 1995. Funeral services were held at Union Church at Naples. Walter probably met her while he was working at Jackson, NH. He was known as a faithful, dedicated worker living his motto. "Do your work well or not at all." He did minimal chores on Sunday since he felt that "nothing good comes from working on Sunday." During his short life, he managed farms, including the Silas B. Adams farm at Falmouth. He was 5'10" tall with blue eyes and medium brown wavy hair.

Children of Walter and Laura (Proctor), surname Ward:

i. JOYCE SYLVIA[9] b. 16 Aug. 1915 at Denmark, ME; m. at New Glouster, ME, DONALD MAXWELL, b. at Auburn, ME, 10 June 1908, son of COLIN and ABBIE LESHIA (ROUNDS) MAXWELL, d. at Orlando, FL, 3 Sept. 1985, bur. at Danville, ME. Worked for major hotels in Florida in the winter and Maine in the summer. He was an Episcopalian and a Mason. She res. at Orlando, FL as of 1996. Ch. BESSIE JEAN, b.18 Dec.1939.

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42. ii. STANLEY ALDEN[9], b. at Cornish, ME, 8 July 1917 (ME VR); m. 17 Aug. 1947, MARION RITA EATON, b. at Groton, MA, 11 July 1918, dau. of EGBERT and BESSIE (DINGWELL) EATON. Married in the Congregational Church, Groton, by Rev. DONALD E. WARD (not of known relation). Adopt. Ch. NEAL BRIAN, b. 19 May 1955; DALE ALLEN, b. 3 Sept. 1957.

iii. CHARLOTTE WILSON[9], b. at W. Falmouth, ME. (known as "Black Strap") 27 May 1920; m. at Methodist Chur., Naples, 14 Sept. 1942, Sec. Lieut. LLOYD DEERING CLARK, son of DR. LESTER D. and MYRTLE (GARVIN) CLARK, of Sanford, ME. Lloyd b. 23 March 1920, d. 22 Feb. 1993, result of shovelling snow as did his bro. Her sisters, Joyce, was matron of honor, Louise was a bridesmaid at the wedding. (*The Portland Press Herald*, dateline, Sanford, 16 Sept. 1942). Charlotte res. at Sanford, ME as of 1996. Charlotte grad. of Leighton Hospital School of Nursing and Fryeburg, ME Academy; He att. MA School of Optometry at Boston and was assoc. with his father and bro. (*ibid*, dateline Portland, ME, 16 Sept. 1942). Ch. CARMEN LEE, b. at Portland, ME, 5 Feb. 1945; LINDA GAIL, b. at Portland. 8 Nov. 1946.

iv. LOUISE PROCTOR[9], b. at W. Falmouth, ME, 17 Nov. 1921; m. at Naples, ME, 22 May 1942, HARRY NORWOOD KEARNEY, b. at Bangor, ME, 29 Oct. 1918, son of HARRY S and KATHERINE (HOOPER) KEARNEY. Res. as of 1996 at Caribou, ME. Ch. PATRICIA LOUISE, b. at Portland, 16 Aug. 1943; LAURA MADELYN, b. at Greenville, ME, 12 Feb. 1964, d. of lukemia, 1 May 1966, bur. at Bucksport, ME; COLLEEN ELAINE, b. at Norway, ME, 13 July 1965.

v. HELEN MARIE, b. at Naples, ME, 16 Nov. 1931; m. LESTER BAILEY, son of CLARENCE H. and WINFRED (ABBOTT) BAILEY, b. 27 Nov. 1927; m.

at Paris, ME and owned a dairy farm at Andover, ME. Lester started as a state milk tester checking milk for quality and disease. Their 90 cows produced 2,000 qts. of milk daily requiring work from 5 a.m. to 9 p.m. Feed was grown by them on their 300-acre farm. (Lewiston, ME *Sun Journal,* 9 Oct. 1991 "Homestead forms fabric of family"). Ch. BRENDA, b. at Rumford, 9 Oct. 1952; BRIAN, b. at Rumford, 19 July 1954.

42. STANLEY ALDEN WARD enlisted for service in WWII, January 1940 and served 6 years as personnel officer with the 1974th Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron. During the Korean conflict, Lt. Ward was recalled by the Air Force and stationed at Scott Field, IL and Limestone, ME. He retired as major in U. S. Air Force Reserve. Stanley studied accounting and graduated with a BS Degree from University of Michigan in 1949 where he later held a position of assistant registrar and instructor in military science. He was honored by the Town of Naples for his military service.[10] Stanley worked with the registrar of The University of Michigan for 20 years, and then at Eastern Michigan University for 14 years. His MA degree in education was earned there. He resides at Ann Arbor, MI as of 1998. Based on the Revolutionary War service of Rev. James Allen, a drummer, Stanley is a member of Michigan Society of Sons of American Revolution and the National Society of Sons of the American Revolution, No.130952, descended from his mother's side. He was honored at the 106th Congress of the national society in 1995 at Louisville, IL for his service as a First Lieutenant, Airways and Air Communications in WWII with service including Anchorage Alaska.[11] He is also a member of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants earned from the Mayflower ancestor, Richard Warren, No. 61758, on his father's side. Marion is a member of First Families of New England descended from John Eaton. (Frances, a brother to John Eaton, came on the Mayflower). Marion served as secretary to a CEO of a large legal firm.

Stanley Alden Ward

Stanley and Marion are authors of *A 12 Generation Lineage Presentation of the Family of Willis Woodbury Ward (1860-1915) Commencing With George Ward (Eastham, Massachusetts, 1700)*, 1989.[12] Stanley and Marion attend the

Free-Methodist Church which in the colonial period allowed free pews and were against slavery.

39. GEORGE EDWIN WARD, son of Jacob and Susan (Baker) Ward appears to have taken up his father's occupation by successfully owning and operating several hotels in New York prior to removing to Socoro, NM. He was in New Mexico prior to introduction of railroading there. He invested in real estate and operated several pieces of mining property. At 4 A.M. 6 April 1886 sounds like "firearms" and the ringing of church bells warned of a fire. This fire consumed the entire area known as " Dailey Block" which included George Ward's store and his living quarters. His remains were charred to be unrecognizable. His saloon and book store was an estimated $5,500.00 loss of which $3,500.00 was insured. He had valuable diamonds and silver in the store.

Charles Reits, in charge of the store's book and news department, later said he took out $500.00 in gold and silver from the fire. It appears that George's son, HOWARD L. WARD, settled the estate, probably continuing the business. Other stores in the block included a grocery store, meat market, restaurant, candy manufacturer, and barber shop. It was believed that a coal-oil lamp exploded in a nearby saloon, with no water available to smother the fire.[13] George Ward was known as a public spirited, upright and honest citizen. His remains were placed in a metal casket for transport out of town by train.[14] His burial place is not known.

Notes to Chapter 11

1. Gorham VR [Births].
2. Windham VR [Marriage] and Record at Windham Historical Soc., Windham, ME.
3. *Bridgton News,* ca. June 1885.
4. Bridgton VR, [Death] 1892-1918, p. 23.
5. Death cert. states bur. at Riverside Cem. at Cornish, ME.
6. Portland *Evening Express*, vol. 71, No. 175.
7. Maine VR [Births].
8. Massachusetts VR [Births].
9. *Bridgton News*, obit 14 Sept. 1995.
10. *Annual Report of the town of Naples, Maine*, 5 Feb. 1944.
11. *Sons of American Revolution Quarterly*, Summer/Fall 1995, p. 9.
12. Presented to the New England Historic Genealogical Society, Boston.
13. *Socorro* (New Mexico) *Bullion*, 10 April 1883, p. 3, and 17 April p. 3.
While the Ward family lore in Maine stated that George Ward was "murdered" in New Mexico. Reference to "firearms" during excitement of the disastrous fire might have contributed to this misinformation. the preponderence of evidence matches George Ward's birth date, Jacob, his father's name and even occupation of hotel proprietor. Portland, ME is also referenced. The volunteer staff of the New Mexico Genelogical Society is thanked for its persistant efforts in locating circumstances of George Ward's death and newspaper obits.

14. El Paso Genealogical Society, comp., *Births, Deaths and Marriages from El Paso Newspapers 1806-1890,* vol. II, p. 257.

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CHAPTER 12

Isaac Hall and Lucy (Dexter) Ward and (2nd) Laura (Hanscom) Ward at Dedham and Standish, Maine

ISAAC[5] HALL WARD (Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]), 6th of 7 children of Jonathan and Sarah (Hall) Ward was born at Standish, ME, 2/3 February 1804 and died there 15 September 1870. He married at Fairfax, ME, formerly Albion, ME[1] (1st) LUCY DEXTER, born 16 April 1805 fourth child of LUCY and NATHAN DEXTER, JR. Lucy's mother, LUCY BURRILL daughter of ABRAM and HANNAH (CUSHING) BURRILL of Weymouth, MA, was born 19 April 1777 and died 14 February 1863.[2] Lucy Dexter, through a Burrill family marriage, traced her ancestry to John and Priscilla Alden and the Mayflower.

Both Isaac Hall Ward, then aged 26, and his father-in-law, Nathan Dexter, are found at Otis, (Hancock County), ME in 1830. Dexter family descendants recall hearing that the Dexters walked to Dedham from China, ME carrying their belongings in covered wagons. The trip took three days. At this time two of Isaac Hall's and Lucy's children, Lorenzo and Isaac, had been born and were under the age of 5 and the parents were between 20 and 30 living at Otis, near the Nova Scotia border[3].

Isaac H. Ward sold 52 1/2 acres, township lot #8 on 9 June 1832 to either Thomas Pinkham or Jeremiah Truworthy for $400.00[4]. This township lot is located at Dedham off Route 1A at Lucerne. By 1840, the family is found at Glenburn, ME, the census records show three additional children, Sarah, Nathan and Lucy Ann[5]. Glenburn is located north of Bangor.

Now apparently living at Dedham again, Isaac sold 8 3/4 acres to William O. Kemp for $150.00 on 5 November 1845.[6]; and on 26 August1852 he sold lot #14 (71 acres and 40 rods) to his son, Isaac, for $400.00. Lot 14 is about 14 miles from Central Cemetery at Dedham.

The 1850 census shows Isaac Hall Ward and his family are still residing at Dedham. This census lists by name all of the eight children, including William Harrison, George W., Harrison G. and Abby who were born in the 1840's (except Abby who was born in 1850 and shown in this census). This census lists Isaac Hall, 46, a farmer, his wife Lucy, 45. His building number was 269, family number 278. His buildings were valued at $400.00.[7] Now ten children had been born into the family, one, George, born in 1830 lived only 3 years. Lucy Anna, born at Glenburn in 1837 was not listed in the census.

Lumbering and sawmill activity prospered in the Bangor, Old Town, Orono and Ellsworth, ME areas. The population of Orono rose rapidly from 1,500 persons in 1832 to 6,000 by 1837. By 1818, there was a large lumber production at Ellsworth and The Bangor and Old Town Railroad, chartered in 1832, connected sawmills of Old Town, Bradley, Milford, Orono and Veazie. Ten years later the locomotive was built expressly to haul lumber.[8]

It appears that the Wards may have been attracted to this area from Sebago Lake because of this prospering lumbering business. Howard Warren, author of *History of the Saunders Family of Dedham, Maine*[9], very aptly wrote of the hard life that the settlers at Dedham, ME lived. Otis, where Isaac Hall and his family lived, was part of Township 8, a community of small farms built around hilly terrain. Much of this terrain was wooded, topped with stony soil and certainly very difficult to cultivate. But it was abounded with many small lakes and ponds.

Winters in the area saw snow from the depth of one foot in October to drifts of 6 feet in December. Settlers used cornhusk mattresses and wool blankets during these cold, hard winters. The cotton sheets that were used in the summer months were inadequate to provide warmth. Riding the open sleighs in the winter required the cover of heavy blankets, fur caps, and woolen underwear. The three-day thaw in January was just a breather for more winter. By April, however, the northern lights (aurora borealis) were boasting their brilliant display of iridescent glows and pleasing sounds.

Springtime was time to boil sap down to make maple syrup. The two-week haying season occurred in July. Midsummer produced thick fog sometimes for days, but then it was time to grow potatoes, corn, beans, turnips, carrots and beets. Apples were sour lest they were of the grafted variety.

The hours on the farm were long and hard and the farmers customarily helped one another. They were good traders, thrifty, and known for their honesty.

Transportation was over dirt roads which were muddy after melting snow and rain. Visibility at night was provided by the use of candlelight and kerosene lamps. The marvel of electricity had yet to be discovered! When traveling today and seeing the blue, clear waters and the resort fishing town of Bar Harbor, one can hardly imagine the difficult living conditions of the early settlers just a few miles to the west. It was in this difficult situation that Isaac Hall Ward and his wife Lucy raised 10 children. It appears he probably supported them by supplementing his farming income with carpentry.

Two of Isaac Hall Ward's children are listed on the rolls as early members of the Dedham Congregational Church which was organized in 1841. Isaac Ward and his sister, Sarah, were admitted to membership of the church 5 January 1851. Nathan Dexter became a member 8 January 1842 (he died ten

years later 8 January 1852). His wife Lucy (Burrill) Dexter became a member July 1850. The Dexters were grandparents of Isaac and Sarah and parents of their mother, Lucy (Dexter) Ward. Men and women were listed separately in the church record book. Other members were Nathan and Lucy Dexter's children, Asa Burrill and his wife Priscilla (Washburn) Burrill, Thomas Burrill Dexter and his daughter, Mary E. Dexter, who married a Mitchell.

The Congregational Church was the dominant church in New England being founded by the Puritans. The Bible and early Calvinist preachers were the basis of their faith. The more radical Puritans were "Separatists" who left the Church of England and sailed to the Plymouth Colony in 1620 while the less radical group hoped to reform the Anglican Church. This less radical group was headed by John Winthrop who led the large Winthrop fleet to Boston in 1630. The Congregational Church in New England was supported by township taxes, ministers being employed by the town. Records included lists of "taxpayers" and disciplinary actions taken against individuals in the congregation.[10]

Lucy (Dexter) Ward, wife of Isaac Hall Ward, died 11 April 1855 at the age of 50. Isaac Hall and his children moved back to Cumberland County. He and his elder brother, George, were partners in the saw mill and/or grist mill business which they built on Bachelor's Creek at Sebago Lake. They ran the mill at night to conserve water. On 24 August 1854, records show that Isaac Hall Ward and his son, Isaac, both of Sebago, sold 25 acres to Mr. Matthews for $70.10. Isaac Hall's brother, George, was a witness to this transaction.[11] On another deed, dated 25 August 1854, Isaac Hall and his son, Isaac, bought the 35-acre lot number 48 from Samuel Gary for $110.00. The deed stipulated that there must be nine feet of water flowing from "28 August to 28 May."[12] A year later, 20 October 1855, Isaac Hall sold 23 1/2 acres to Andrew Wiggins of Buxton for $275.00. This acreage was located on the east side of the road leading to Gorham from Standish Corner to Sebago Pond.[13]

Three years after his wife, Lucy, died[14] Isaac Hall, age 55, married 25 August 1858 at Gorham 20-year old LAURA JEANE HANSCOM. Laura was born at Victory, NY in 1838. She was the daughter of IRA FOSS and CAROLINE (ROWETTE) HANSCOM and was now residing at Standish. She was sister of Jarius Hanscom who married Ellen Ward, the daughter of Shurburn and Sarah Ward, of North Sebago (See ch. 10). Isaac Hall and Laura had two children, Manley and Ernest. Isaac Hall was now a carpenter living at Windham with real estate, dwelling and family number 126 valued at $550.00 and personal estate valued at $100.00.[15]

Almon Young, the Collector of Taxes of Sebago, advertised and posted notices in 1854 six weeks prior to the sale and sold to the highest bidder, Zachariah Tierney, the 20 acre lot #49, the Pond Lot, for $2.38 assessed taxes on resident property due. Isaac H. Ward and Isaac Ward "formerlly of Sebago"

appeared to be in arrears in paying this tax. (The tax collector was paid $4.13 for his services). The Wards had 2 years from 18 June 1856 to redeem the property.[16] No records have shown that they did so. Later, 28 June 1860 Isaac H., and his wife, Laura, sold 23 1/2 acres in Standish for $100 to Josiah Morton, Esq. of Standish. This lot was located on the east side of the road leading to Gorham, being the same lot they had of Andrew Wiggins of Buxton.[17]

Two of Isaac Hall Ward's sons volunteered to serve in the Civil War. GEORGE W. WARD enrolled 11 August 1862 at the age of 18 in Company D, 1st Calvary. George became a prisoner of war at the Dahlgren Raid near Richmond, VA and was discharged from the army 28 May 1865 (See App. I). He had lived at Windham and was a painter but returned working as a contractor at Biddeford, ME and Sioux Falls, SD. George married Lydia Moulton. The second son, Isaac, while residing at Gorham, enrolled aged 34, 10 September 1862 for nine months and served in the defense of the nation's capitol at Washington. (For additional information on his military service see appendix I).

Isaac H. Ward is listed in the 1870 census, p. 33, at Standish as a house carpenter with no property recorded. This census was dated as having been taken 30 June 1870 which would have been 2 1/2 months prior to his death. He died aged of 66, 15 September 1870. This 1870 census listed Ernest B. ___, an 8-year-old boy, born at Windham.[8] Alice Boothby, of Sebago, ME, recalled hearing from her aunt about "2 half brothers, Ernest and Edgar."

Children of Isaac Hall and Lucy (Dexter), surname Ward:

43. i. LORENZO[6] D., b. prob. at Dedham/Otis, ME, 24 Feb. 1824, d. at Waterford (Oxford Co.), ME, 24 March 1897, ae. 73 of a grippe (Waterford VR); m. 8 Oct. 1850, CLARISSA (CLARA) BEAN, b. 27 Sept. 1824, d. ae. 63 yrs., 7 mos., 10 dys., 7 May 1888, dau. of EBENEZER and CLARISSA (NEWTON) BEAN, of Bethel, ME. Both bur. at Upper Village Cem., Gorham, NH.

ii. ISAAC, b. 24 Oct. 1828, at Otis, ME, d. at Boston, MA, 28 Dec. 1893; m. MARIAH ANN HANSCOM 19 Aug. 1856, b. 8 June 1842 at Orono, ME, d. at Warren, MA, 7 Jan. 1910. Maria Ann[6], (John[5], Mehitable[4], Gideon[3], Uriah[2], Job[1]) was a 4th cousin of Jairus Hanscom who m. Ellen Ward, and Laura Jean Hanscom who m. Isaac Hall Ward. (See ch. 10 and 14, for discussion of Isaac Ward's family and descendants, and app. I for Civil War duty).

iii. GEORGE W., b. 7 Dec. 1830, d. 14 Feb. 1833 (Dedham VR).

44. iv. SARAH GILES, b. prob. at Brewer, ME 17 Nov./Dec. 1833, d. 12 April 1916, ae. 82 yrs.; int. m. JOHN PLAISTED MOULTON, 23 Dec. 1856, b. 11 Dec. 1833, d. 30 Nov. 1886. Both bur. at Sebago Lake Village Cem. (g.s.).

v. NATHAN, b. ca. 1836.

vi. LUCY ANN, b. at Glenburn, ME, 30 Oct. 1837, d. at Dedham, 29 July 1841 (Dedham VR).

45. vii. WILLIAM HARRISON/HENRY, b. at Dedham, ME, 21 Aug. 1841[32], d. of senile dementia at Standish, ae 65 11 Sept. 1906[33], Bur. at Sebago Lake Cem in Moulton family lot. (g.s); m. at Standish, 11 May 1864, by EBENEZER

MOULTON, J.P., Mrs. FLORA (CUSHMAN) CHICK, b. at Munsen, ME. 3 Sept. 1840, d. 6 April 1928. She m. (1st) ALONZO B. CHICK.

46 viii. GEORGE WARREN, b. at Dedham, 28 Dec. 1843, d. at Sioux Falls, SD, 20 April 1924 by stroke of paralysis; m. LYDIA P. MOULTON at Standish, 3 Jan. 1869. She was b. 24 Sep. 1847, dau. of EBENEZER and ELIZABETH D. (BLAKE) MOULTON. Ch. ALICE MAY, b. 21 Oct. 1870; ELIZABETH M., b. 16 Aug. 1874; EDITH F., b. 7 Jan. 1885 at Biddeford, ME, (Biddeford VR, 1:217). (George Ward Civil War Pension papers, app.I). Ch. living 13 May 1915 when George signed pension statement. George listed at Biddefield in U.S. 1880 Census (York Co.) with Alice and Lizzie.

ix. HARRISON G., b. at Dedham, 18 Dec. 1845, (Dedham VR, [Births and Deaths], p. 65, and 1850 U.S.Census). J.P.Moulton telegraphed, 31 May 1875 to his bro.-in-law Isaac Ward res. at Boston that "Harrison died yesterday afternoon, funeral tomorrow afternoon."

x. MARY ALICE, b. 24 Dec. 1849, d. 22 April 1881; m. 22 Apr. 1872 WILLIAM B. JACKSON. (Lorenzo Ward Family Bible).

Children of Isaac Hall and Laura J. (Hanscom), surname Ward:

xi. MANLEY[6] J. b. 1860, d. 2 Feb. 1868.

xii. ERNEST B., b. at Windham, ME, ca. 1862, d. at Standish, 19 March 1913, ae. 51 yrs. (ME VR); m. 25 July 1888, EMMA S. JEWELL, b. at Cornish, ME, dau. of JOHN and SARAH (EASTMAN) JEWELL. They were div. at Cumberland Co. 26 Oct. 1895, for "utter desertion" (Cumberland Co., Div. Records, vol. 2, p. 53). Ernest was a carpenter. She at ae. 31, m. int. 25 Feb. 1896, and m. 24 March 1896 (2nd) JOHN A.WHITE, a widower and laborer of Sebago (Sebago VR [Marriage]). Ernest's death was an accident caused when he was caught in the chain of an ice planer while he was repairing the slip. He died half hour later.

43. LORENZO D. WARD was a carpenter.[19] He resided at Standish, in 1850 (U.S. 1850 Census, Standish, p. 68). His intention to marry CLARISSA (NEWTON) BEAN, also of Standish, was made 9 September 1850 and they were married 8 October 1850.[20] Her father, EBENEZER, was the son of JONATHAN BEAN, JR. who was born at Bethel 24 April 1797 and descended from JOHN BEAN who immigrated from Scotland.[21] Clarissa's mother, CLARISSA NEWTON, married EBENEZER at Andover, ME and was the mother of his six children.[22] It appears that Lorenzo worked in New York City for six years following his marriage. He is found at Bethel for four years until 1870, then at Gorham, NH, working as a carpenter and millright, and at Waterford, ME 1889 to 1897 doing road work. "L.D.Ward," probably Lorenzo D. Ward, was listed among the enrolled militia returned in 1861 by the selectmen of Bethel. Lorenzo owned farms at Bethel and Gorham, NH.

Children of Lorenzo and Clarissa (Bean), surname Ward:

i. Unk.

ii. Unk.

47. iii. EVELYN[7], b. at New York, NY, 3 Jan. 1856, d. at Lakeport, NH, 25 Jan. 1940, bur. at Upper Village Cem., Gorham, NH; m. (1st) WILLIAM ALLEN

STUART, b. at Otisfield, ME, 25 April 1851, d. at Gorham, NH, ae. 25, 27 May 1876 from drowning in the Androscoggin River. Evelyn m. (2nd), WILMOT W. McGOWN, b. 1846, d. 1916.

iv. INEZ JUSTINA, b. 1859, d. at Bethel (Oxford Co.), ME, 1 March 1861. (Bethel Hist. Soc. and Newspaper obit).

48. v. ANNEBELLE, b. at Bethel, ME, 29 July 1861, known as "Aunt Belle," d. at Laconia, NH, 22 Oct. 1948; m. EDWARD AUGUSTUS STEADY, b. at Sherbrooke, Province of Quebec, Canada, 12 June 1865, d. at Laconia 13 May 1956.

vi. SUSIE M., b. 1863, d. unm. 1882.

vii. ROSA ALICE, b. at Albany (Oxford Co.), ME, 7 Oct. 1866, d. at Norway, 21 April 1927. (Oxford Co. and Kneeland Family Papers), ME; m. 11 Jan. 1883, WARREN VINTON KNEELAND, b. at Sweden, ME, 8 May 1855, d. 23 March 1926.

Children of Warren and Rosa Alice (Ward), surname Kneeland:

1. ELEANOR[8] FRANCES, b. 11 Aug. 1895 at Waterford, ME, d. at West Bethel, 8 Nov. 1973; m. 21 Jun. 1916 FRED JACOB LOVEJOY, b. at Mason, ME, 14 Sept. 1888 , d. at Gilead, ME, 3 April 1965 (Lovejoy Family Rec.). Both b. at Pine Grove Cem., Norway, ME.

   Children of Fred and Eleanor (Kneeland), surname Lovejoy:

   (i). DOROTHY[9] PEARL, b. at Norway, ME, 22 June 1917, d. at Norway, 13 Nov. 1928.

   (ii). ALFRED WARREN, b. at Norway, 1 Jan. 1919; m. 27 April 1946, STELLA P. YASZEK, res. at Traverse City, MI in 1992.

   (iii). LILLIAN FRANCES. b. at Norway, 25 Dec. 1920, d. unm. at W. Paris, 10 Aug. 1989.

   (iv). KENNETH GEORGE, b. at Norway, 17 June 1922 d. at Norway, 4 Nov. 1984; m. 18 Dec.1942, MAXINE FERREN.

   (v). CLEVELAND REGINALD, b. 5 Dec. 1923; m. 15 June 1947, CATHRYN CUMMINGS, Ch. ALANSON; DOROTHY; ELLEN.

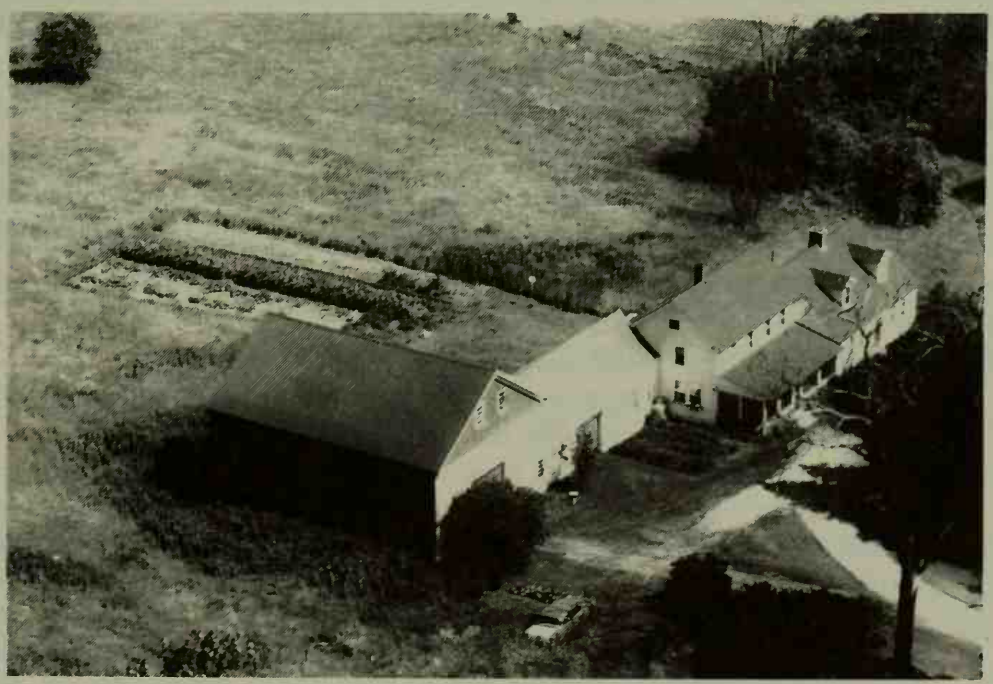
44. SARAH GILES (WARD) MOULTON Born 17 November/December, 1833, died 12 April 1916 at Standish of uremic poisoning of 4 days. She also had chronic nephritis.[23] Her intention to marry JOHN PLAISTED MOULTON was made 23 December 1856.[24] John Moulton, born 1803, died 17 September 1881/85[24a], was the son of EBENEZER and ELIZABETH D.(BLAKE) MOULTON, of Limington, who settled at Standish near Sebago Lake. Ebenezer was a farmer, carpenter and Mason - a man of ability and a leading citizen. He served as selectman and was a member of the state legislature.

John Moulton bought and sold parcels of land in November 1871 to William H. Ward, a son of Isaac H. Ward . On the 6th, William Ward bought a parcel from John Moulton at Standish for $150.00 which was bounded by property owned by Joseph S. Webster and John Moulton. The deed specified that William erect and maintain a suitable fence around this parcel.[25] (See below for William Ward).

Also, on November 22nd, John bought from William about an acre for $775. This land was located on the county road leading to Standish Village by Sebago Lake to Gray. The deed specified that John Moulton pay one quarter annually with 9 per cent interest. This deed was signed by William H. Ward

Sarah (Ward) Moulton

Lydia (Moulton) Ward



Moulton Farm

and his wife, Flora.[26] John Moulton was the grantor of land in Standish to the Orthodox Congregational Society of Sebago Lake. This land was surrounded by property owned by Simon M. Moulton and John P. Moulton and was sold on the condition that the church build and maintain a house of worship. Again, Moulton specified that a sufficient fence be erected around the lot. This deed was signed by John and Sarah 10 November 1884[27].

Henry H. Swasey, of Portland, was appointed administrator of John Moulton's estate. As fee and reversion of dower he received a sum of $1,300 from Sarah, John Moulton's widow and heir to the estate, which included: (1) Homestead farm of 35 acres bordered by "Northeast Road" corner of lot that Moulton deeded to The Orthodox Congregational Society of Sebago Lake, the "Old Road" and "Pond Road." (2) 8 acres, portion of "school lot" that John Moulton received from Ebenezer Moulton, his father, (3) 1/2 in common of 7 acres woodland, part of school lot received from Lewis W. Moulton. This deed was dated 8 November 1888.[28]

Ebenezer and Elizabeth had 5 children, 3 of whom married Wards. ELIZABETH MOULTON, was born 27 January 1832 and married (2nd) DANIEL WARD of Standish; LYDIA P. MOULTON, b. 24 September 1847 married 3 January 1869, GEORGE W. WARD[29] and resided at Biddeford, ME; and SARAH WARD who married JOHN P. MOULTON and resided on his father's farm.

Sarah G. Moulton, aged 76 and widowed, was head of her household as recorded in the 1900 U. S. Census for Standish, p. 211A, and the 1910 Census[30]. Living with her were her son, Gilbert, aged 44, his wife Bertha, aged 32, and their children (See below) and Sarah's grandson, ARTHUR C. WESCOTT, 20 (See below). Sarah's brother, George, aged 17, was found in the 1860 census as living and working on her farm as a laborer[31] (See below). George served in the Calvary during the War and later removed to Sioux Falls, IA. with his wife and children. Another brother, William, 58, was ill and found in the 1900 census as single and living with her then. He also served in the Civil War. Both brothers are discussed below. Sarah assumed responsibilities of operating the farm and large household as a widow. She helped relatives as noted above and is described as a strict disciplinarian.

Children of John and Sarah (Ward), surname Moulton:

49. i. GILBERT[7] E., b. ca. 1857/1865, d. 1944; m. BERTHA E. SCHILLINGER, b. at Danforth, ME, 1865, d. 1950, bur. at Sebago Lake Village Cem. (g.s.).

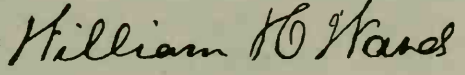
ii. LUCY ADELAIDE[7] (ADDIE), b. ca. 1858, d. ae. 22, ca. 18 May 1880, bur. in Sebago Lake Village Cem., (g.s.); int. 6 Dec. 1878, m. 11 Dec. 1878, CALVIN (Cam) CHARLES WESCOTT, b. 20 Aug. 1854 (Standish VR [Marriage], p. 8.). Calvin m. (2nd) LUCILLE W. SHAW; m. (3rd) MARY DALE 3 Mar. 1898. Child of Calvin Charles and Lucy Addie (Moulton), surname Wescott:

50. 1. ARTHUR[8] CALVIN, b. at Gorham, 3 Aug. 1879, d. at Damariscotta, ME, 28 June 1939; m. (1st) Int. 9 Feb. 1907, INA LOUISE SHAW, b. at

Standish, 9 Feb. 1889, d. at Portland, 15 Jan. 1974, bur. at Sebago Lake Cem., div. 11 Dec. 1922. Ina dau. of PERLEY SCOTT SHAW, a merchant, b. 31 Oct. 1862 and EMMA JULINA GRAFFAM, b. 6 June 1863.[31a]

45. WILLIAM HARRISON/HENRY WARD, William Ward and his family are found in the Jersey City, NJ City Directory 1878/79, 81/82, and 90/91 census where he worked as a mason and carpenter. His brother, Isaac, was listed working as a carpenter and residing with them. William's pension papers (app. I) describes his invalid and pension problems and by 1899, his $8.00 a month pension was suspended while he was partially unable to support his family.

William was a carpenter.[34] aged 58 in 1900 and single, as living with his sister, Sarah, at Standish with his occupation as millwright while other evidence supports that he was ill at this time and married to Flora while she was residing in New Jersey. (See appendix I for his Civil War military service in Co. E, 10th ME infantry.) He traded some property with JOHN P. MOULTON. (See above discussion with Sarah and John P. Moulton about details of exchanging land).



Gilbert E. Moulton (discussed below) was appointed guardian to William 15 June 1906, by the Probate Court of Cumberland County, ME, barely 2 months before William died. His last monthly pension payment was $30.00 paid 4 August 1906. Flora removed to Medford, MA where she died.

Children[34] of William and Flora (Chick), surname Ward:

i. ELLA, b. in ME ca. 1862.
ii. CHARLES A., b. in ME, 2 April 1865. (William H. Ward Pension Papers).
iii. GERTRUDE, b. in MA, 7 Jan. 1870, m.___BURNAM. (Pension Papers).
iv. HARRY, b. in ME, ca. 1878.
v. WILLIAM H., b. Thanksgiving Day 1877 rec. in Pension Papers but not listed in Census.

46. GEORGE WARREN WARD, was the eighth child of Isaac Hall and Lucy Dexter Ward. He married LYDIA P. MOULTON at Standish, a sister of John P. Moulton. She signed her pension application papers *Leydia*. (John Moulton married Sarah Ward, sister of George Ward). George and Lydia were married

at Sebago Lake, 3 January 1869 by the Honorable L. D. M. Lane, a United States Senator who officiated as justice of the peace.[35] His mother, Lucy (Dexter) Ward died when he was a young boy of 12. Three years later, his father married (2nd) LAURA JEANE HANSCOM at Standish.

At age 17, George was shown residing at Standish in 1860 at the home of John and Sarah G. Moulton, and was working there as a farm laborer.[36]. He volunteered for the calvary in 1862 aged 19 and was honorably discharged in 1865.

The 1870 U. S. Census, page 33, shows George, aged 25, a house carpenter, and his wife Lydia P., aged 22, a teacher, still residing at Standish. George was a carpenter in Biddeford in 1880 and residing there with his family. (See appendix I for the story of his Civil War military history.) Children were: ALICE MAY, born 21 October 1870; ELIZABETH M., born 16 August 1874; EDITH F., born at Biddeford, 7 January 1885.[37] All of the children were living on 13 May 1915 when a pension statement was made and were listed in this statement.[35a] They removed to New York City for a short period of time and then to Sioux City Falls, SD. where he was a building contractor for over 32 years.

47. EVELYN WARD, daughter of Lorenzo and Clarissa (Bean) Ward, married (1st) WILLIAM STUART who died at Gorham, NH aged 25 from drowning just 12 weeks after the birth of Mary Inez.

Children of William and Evelyn (Ward), surname Stuart:

i. GEORGE LORENZO, b. at Gorham, NH, 17 Jan. 1874, d. ae. 85 at Laconia (Belknap Co.), NH, 1 May 1959, of arteriosclerotic heart disease (NH VR, [Death]), bur. at Bayside Cem., Laconia, (NH VR, [Death]); m. at Salisbury, New Brunswick, MARGARET ANN DONOVAN. Res. at Laconia. He worked in the Civil Service and served in Spanish-American War. Ch. ALAN; HELEN, b. at Berlin, NH, 20 Aug. 1903: DAVID G., res. at Dover, NH in 1995. George was a cashier.

47a. ii. MARY INEZ, b. at Gorham, NH, 2 March 1876, d. at S. Paris, ME, 20 June 1952; m. DANA ATWOOD BERRY, b. at Jefferson, NH, 8 Oct. 1901, d. at S. Paris, ME, 26 Sept. 1961. Both bur. at Riverside Annex, S. Paris, ME.

Children of Wilmont and Evelyn (Ward/Stuart) McGown were: HAROLD, b. 1882, d. 1942; CLARA, b. 1893, d. 1944, known as "Clarabelle"; CLARENCE, b. 1890, d. 1918. Served in the 148th Inf., 37th Div. Hdqtrs. Co., WWII.

48. Edward Steady and Annebelle Ward met while both were working on the *Berlin Independent.* Later she was a reporter on the *Berlin Reporter*. Both were accomplished musicians and played in north country bands and orchestras, and in Florida where they spent many winters. They resided at Berlin, NH where he owned a music store for over 30 years and was associated with Maine and

New Hampshire Theaters. In Berlin they they owned 2 theaters. Edward gave humorous readings in broken English using French-Canadian accent. She was reared at Gorham and worked as a music teacher and railroad telegrapher. They removed from Berlin, 22 Oct. 1948 to Laconia, NH.

Children of Edward and Annebelle (Ward), surname Steady:

i. EDWARD WARD, b. at Berlin, NH, 11 Oct. 1897, (NH VR, [Birth]); m. 19 May 1923, ae. 25, LAURA F. SWETLAND, a district nurse, b. at Marblehead, MA. Known as "Ward," he was a merchant and accomplished musician. He taught music at the Berlin High School as well as private lessons. He was a theater organist in Maine and New Hampshire. Ch. EDWARD WARD, JR. (PETE), b. 15 April 1925.

ii. KENNETH RALPH, DR., b. at Berlin, NH, 8 Oct. 1898, (NH VR, [Birth]), d. at Orlando, FL; m. 28 June 1928, HAZEL E. PALMER. He was an osteopath in NH and in FL from about 1941. He was an accomplished musician and conductor of the Orlando Symphony. He bought a home in 1944 at Winter Park, FL, sold it the following year.

iii. KARL ALFRED, DR., b. at Berlin, 16 Dec. 1903, d. 16 Dec. 1979. bur. at Bayside Cem., Laconia; m. 27 Aug. 1926, JOYCE GORDON, res. at Taylor Home at Lacoma in 1995. He was a physician at Laconia for over 40 yrs. Dau. DIANE; m. ___ROZIER, res. at Townsend, GA. in 1995.

Children of Karl and Joyce (Gordon), surname Steady:

1. KARL ALFRED, JR. "BUD," b. 1 Jan. 1928, d. 19 Sept. 1996; m. 3 Sept. 1953, MARGERY LOUISE JOHNSON, b. 31 May 1928. Res. at Laconia. 3 Ch.
2. JANE ANN, b. 14 March 1929; m. HENRY L. HOOD. Res. at Grantham, NH in 1995. 4 Ch.
3. GEORGE GORDON; m. BARBARA TAYLOR. He was called "Gordon." 2 dau.

47a. MARY INEZ STUART married DANA ATWOOD BERRY. They resided at S. Paris, ME and are buried there.

Children of Dana and Mary (Stuart), surname Berry:

i. NORMA BERRY, b. at Berlin, NH, 13 Feb. 1903, d. at W. Paris, ME, 2 Oct. 1987; m. (1st) 23 Feb. 1924, LEWIS TIRRELL, b. at W. Paris, 26 Dec. 1902, d. at Locke Mills, ME, 11 Oct. 1950. Norma m. (2nd), 31 Dec. 1970, ALEXANDER ROSS, b. 19 April 1899, d. 16 Aug. 1982.

Children of Lewis and Norma (Berry), surname Tirrell:

1. JEAN, b. at Locke Mills, ME, 24 Dec. 1924; m. 30 Oct. 1947, LLOYD MARSTON, b. at Paris, ME, 10 Nov. 1922.
2. NORMA LOUISE, b. 20 May 1926; m. ROGER TWITCHELL b. 16 Sept. 1924.
3. FERN, b. 26 July 1942, d. 12 July 1992; m. EDMUND JORDAN, Res. in Alaska for ca. 6 yrs. d.s.p., div.

ii. LEONA FRANCES, b. at Waterford, ME, 29 Dec. 1906; m. 1 May 1927, HOMER STEPHEN FARNUM, b. at Greenwood, ME, 7 April 1901, d. at Norway, ME, 18 April 1983.

Children of Homer and Frances (Berry), surname Farnum:

1. RAMONA LOUISE, b. at Bryant Pond, ME, 22 May 1928; m. (1st) 24 Sept. 1948, ROBERT JAMES LOWE, b. at Greenwood, ME, 18 Jan. 1923, d. at VA Hosp., Togus, ME, 28 June 1990. In 1995, The Bethel Chamber of Commerce awarded her that year's Bethel Senior Citizen's Award having been nominated by the staff of Maine Handicapped Skiing for her volunteer work in many capacities there.
   Children of Robert and Ramona (Farnum), surname Lowe:
   (i). JAMES ROBERT, b. 3 Oct. 1949, unm..
   (ii). KATRINA, b. 23 April 1951, unm..
   (iii). JANE ANN, b. 18 Aug. 1954; m. (1st) EDWARD DEEGAN, b. 1949; m. (2nd) PHILIPPE ROLFE, b. 21 Aug. 1950. Ch. MONICA SHEA, b. 27 Sept. 1979; CARRIE MICHELLE, b. 2 Sept. 1982.
   (iv). ALAN THOMAS, b. 22 June 1958, m. HWANG IM NU, b. 1 March 1960. Changed her name to CHRISTINA GAYLE. Ch. MARY ANN, b. 5 Sept. 1980; ANDREW ALLAN, b. 9 Nov. 1985.

RAMONA married (2nd) 24 February 1997 Lt. Col. RICHARD LAWRENCE GROVER, USAF, born 17 August 1939. He was awarded the distinguished Flying Cross and Silver Star for flying 100 missions as a "back seater" on a F-105 in Vietnam, and was a member of the AF Wild Weasels. He built a retirement home on King's Highway at Mason, ME and works as a skilled technician at the Grover Gun Drilling Co. in 1998.

2. MARY STUART, b. 25 May 1936; m. 5 May 1955, LEON HADLEY, JR., b. 1 Jan. 1932, d. 15 Feb. 1991.

Edward and Annabelle (Ward) Steady

Children of Leon and Mary (Farnum), surname Hadley:

(i). SHIRLEY ANN, b. 20 June 1956, m. 20 Aug. 1973, JAMES BOYCE, b. 5 June 1955. Ch. VERONICA, b. 20 Nov. 1973; MEREDITH, b. 10 March 1980.

(ii). JEFFREY, b. 25 July 1975; m. SHARON KIMBALL, b. 10 April 1958. Ch. JEFFREY, JR, b. 2 June 1978.

(iii). TRUDY, b. 6 Jan. 1961; m. (1st) RAYMOND BAKER, b. 7 April 1954. Ch. KIMBERLY, b. 12 March 1980; ROSS, b. 9 Feb. 1992. Trudy m. (2nd) KERRY HARLOW, b. 17 May 1958.

(iv). BETHANY, b. 15 Nov. 1966; m. 5 Nov. 1994, MICHAEL NOBLE, b. 13 May 1959.

(v). SCOTT, b. 1 July 1968; m. 17 Jun. 1989, TAMMY___, b. 28 March 1969. Ch. CODY SCOTT, b. 17 July 1992; DYLAN JAMES, b. 6 Sept. 1994.

Gilbert E. Moulton

49. GILBERT MOULTON became the first mail carrier in Maine in November 1896 to enter the rural free mail system when it was inaugurated by the government. He started carrying mail in 1893 in the Sebago Lake area He was paid $300.00 per month. When he couldn't ride his bike during the cold, snowy months, he walked the route. Later, he graduated to using a buggy and in later years had an automobile. He began carrying about 1,400 letters daily. Later he was carrying 50,000 pieces of mail including crated chickens and bagloads of miscellaneous products. People waited for "Gil, the mail man." He served for 33 consecutive years, longer than any other carrier at that time, retiring as the senior U.S. rural carrier. Since Congress was ready to pass a pension plan the following year, he planed to retire then and cultivate his garden. He lived in the old family house all his married life, the 148-year-old Cape Cod house, dating

to post revolutionary times where his grandparents, Ebenezer and Elizabeth Moulton resided.[38] Gilbert was appointed guardian to William H. Ward by the Probate Court. (See above).

Children of Gilbert and Bertha (Schillinger), surname Moulton, b. at Standish:

i. JOHN L., b. ca. 1890, ae. 10 in 1900 census.

ii. SETH A., b. 2 Aug. 1893 (Standish VR, [Births 1892-1922], p. 4).

iii. LUCY ADELAIDE, b. 10 July 1895 (Standish VR, [Births 1892-1922], p.4); m. at Standish, 2 Nov. 1913, MONTE C. FROST, of Sebago, ME, b. ca. 1892, son of FRANK E. and EMMA (WITHAM) FROST, of Bridgton and Sebago. Lucy, ae. 98, res. at the Norway Nursing Home at Norway, ME, d. 1993. Both bur. at Sebago Lake Cem.

Children of Monte and Lucy Addie (Moulton), surname Frost:

1. BERTHA, b. at Standish, 15 Aug. 1917; m. 15 Jun. 1942 (1st) KARLTON EVON HIGGINS, b. 1914, d. 18 Dec.1980; son, STEPHEN HIGGINS, b. 4 March 1944; m. (1st) RUTH A. GARDNER; res. at Oakland, ME in 1992; m. (2nd) CHARLES LOOMIS, res. at Gray, ME in 1992.
2. ELIZABETH MOULTON, b. 8 Apr. 1932 at Sebago Lake in Standish, d. Feb. 1992.
3. MAYNARD CURTIS (JACK), b. at Standish, 20 June 1933, d. 27 June 1995: m. THERESE LaFRANCE, a blueprint designer in a machine shop. He served in U.S. Marines for 3 yrs. bg. in 1954, worked for more than 20 yrs. as methods engineer for North East Manufacturing at Stoneham, MA. His hobbies incl. photography and muzzle-loaded competition. Res. at Burlington, MA. Ch. KARLTON, b. 13 Dec.1961, d. 1989 (Obit Portland *Press Herald*); DELORES LONGTIN, of Litchfield, ME; MICHAEL SALACUP, of Wakefield, ME.

iv. MARY ALICE, b. 21 Sept. 1896 (Standish VR, [Births], p. 10), d. 15 Nov. 1896 of marasmus, ae. 2 mos. 11 dys. (Standish VR, [Deaths 1892-1922], p. 10).

v. EDITH A., b. at Standish 14 July 1899 (Standish VR, [Births], p. 12), d. April 1985 (Soc. Sec. Death Index #005-14-9024 under the Freedom of Information Act); m. at Reading, MA, 16 Dec. 1916 HAROLD G. WITHAM, b. at Bridgton, ME. 1 Sept. 1895, d. Jun. 1969, (Standish VR; Soc. Sec. Death Index SS #004-05-2493 under Freedom of Information Act), both bur. in Sebago Lake Village Cem. (g.s.). He was son of FREEMAN J. and SUSIE G. (ROBINSON) WITHAM. Harold was a merchant at Standish.

Children of Harold and Edith (Moulton), surname Witham:

1. ALICE GERTRUDE, b. at Sebgo Lake 25 May 1919 d. 21 Oct 1997 of Alzheimer's desease; m. 3 July 1937, ROBERT HAYWOOD BOOTHBY (Bride's Index) Div. and remarried as his 4th wife at Scarboro, ME. 2 Feb. 1946 (ME VR, 1946). He was b. ca.1914, son of WILBUR and MARY E. BOOTHBY. d.s.p. She grad. from Standish High School in 1937 and the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary Nursing Program in 1945, the Family Nurse Associate Program in 1972. She worked in the Univ. of Maine, Gorham Campus for 28 yrs., retiring in 1980. Cruised world-wide as a nursing companion to an elderly woman. Alice was a member of the Ladies Aid Society of Sebago Lake Congregational Chur. and the Dawn of Hope Chapter of Eastern Star (Obit., *Portland Press Herald,* 23 Oct. 1997).

2. RENA MAE, b. 26 Oct. 1922 (Birth VR, ME State Library and Arch.); m. at W. Newfield, ME, 8 June 1940 PERCY ROYAL MILLER, b. ca. 1920, a state fireman of Limington, son of PERCY D. and ANGIE D. (ELDRIDGE) MILLER, m.. he ae. 20, she ae. 17, by L. Muller, J.P., int. filed 24 June 1940. (ME Arch. VR, [Marriage]). Res. at Gorham, in 1997. Ch. SHIRLEY ANN, b. at Westbrook, ME, 12 June 1942; GLEN GILBERT, b. at Westbrook, 4 May 1944; Ch. b./d. before 1948; GARY WAYNE, b. at Portland, ME, 26 May 1948. His father was listed as a sawmill worker at the Waterville Mill, family res. at Gorham (ME VR, Arch.,[Birth]); JUDY ANN, b. at Portland, 22 Nov. 1950. Father listed as a tractor operator (ME VR, Arch., [Birth]).
3. JEAN EVANGELINE, b. at Standish, 24 March 1930 (ME VR, [Birth]); m. 27 Jan. 1951 at Standish (ME VR) by C. Mable Mason Cole, notory public, (int. 6 Jan. 1951), EVERETT W. GRAFFAM, b. at Standish ca. 1932, son of MAURICE A. and MARION (WARD) GRAFFAM of Standish. Jean and Everett res. at Steep Falls and Sebago Lake. He was a truck driver from Standish. Ch. DEBORAH JEAN, b. at Portland, 11 July 1951 (ME VR Arch. [Birth]); SANDRA LYNN. b. 6 June 1952 (ME VR Arch. [Birth]); LAWRENCE EVERETT, b. 29 June 1954 (ME VR, Arch. [Birth]).

50. ARTHUR CALVIN and INA SHAW (WESTCOTT), are found in 1880 and 1900 U.S.Census in Sebago Lake (Cumberland Co.), ME.

Children of Arthur Calvin and Ina (Shaw), surname Wescott, all b. at Sebago Lake:

i. ARTHUR[9] STEPHEN, b. 5 Nov. 1907; m. (1st) bef. 1932 BEULAH PILLSBURY; m. (2nd), 9 Feb. 1932, LENA M.BERDEEN, m. (3rd) MARJORIE___; m. (4th) 19 Dec. 1939, MARY BUSTON.
ii. RUTH LOUISE, b.26 July 1910, d. at Portland, 12 March 1992; m.CHARLES CAHILL.
iii. PEARL ELOISE, b. 13 Aug. 1911, d. 25 April 1912.
iv. MARTHA VIVIAN, b. 8 April 1914; m. 27 June 1936 RALPH CLIFFORD LEAVITT, JR.

Children of Ralph Clifford, Jr. and Martha (Wescott), surname Leavitt, all b. at Buxton, (York Co.), ME:

1. KEITH ALAN, b. 4 Feb. 1937; m. 18 Jan. 1961, NANCY SHERMAN HAYES, b. at Los Angeles, CA, 23 June 1938, dau. of SCOTT RUSSELL HAYES, b. 21 Sept. 1884 and MURIEL GANTZ, b. 2 Dec. 1909. Keith, an industrial arts teacher at Readfield, ME in 1997 and retired to become a metal artist.

   Children of Keith and Nancy (Hayes), surname Leavitt:

   (i). SCOTT ALAN, b. at Portland, ME, 29 June 1964, bapt. at Spring Valley, CA, 5 May 1968. m. 18 March 1989, BARBARA KENDALL.
   (ii). GLENN NELSON, b. at Glendale, CA. 17 April 1967, bapt. at Spring Valley, CA, 5 May 1968. m. 25 June 1994, JILLIAM CHESLEY, div.
2. NELSON ARTHUR, b. 4 May 1940; m. (1st) 4 July 1959 DIANE PLUMMER, div., m. (2nd) 3 AUG. 1968 LINDA ELLEN WILCOX, div., m. (3rd) 2 Oct. 1993 PENNY FIELD.

3. CHERYL RUTH, b. 28 March 1944; m. 11 Dec. 1966, LLOYD ALEX WATT.

v. PERLEY CALVIN, b. 21 April 1917, d. 27 Jan. 1982, bur. at Bonita, CA; m. Nov. 1938, MARGARET LELA CAMPBELL, of Damariscotta, ME.

Notes for Chapter 12

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6. Hancock Co. [Deeds] 85:111 and Hancock Co. [Deeds] 93:407.
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10. Dr. Ralph Crandall, *Shaking Your Family Tree,* 5th ed., (Dublin, NH: Yankee Publishing Inc., 1988), pp. 81, 88-89.
11. Cumberland Co., ME [Deeds], 279:56.
12. Ibid, 257:211.
13. Ibid, 267:84.
14. Gorham (Cumberland Co.), ME VR [Death] 5:7.
15. U. S. 1860 Census, Windham (Cumberland Co), ME, p. 145.
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17. Ibid, 302:332.
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24a. Henry W. Moulton, Claribel Moulton, dau., ed., *Moulton Annals*, Chicago: Edward A. Claypool, Genealogist, pub., 1906, p. 233. Lists Ebenezer as 7th generation and his family. Owned by ME State Library, Augusta.

25. Cumberland [Deeds], 388;286.
26. Ibid, 385:533.
27. Ibid, 512:274.
28. Ibid, 555:10.
29. Standish VR, cop. by Grace Maxwell, p. 157.
30. U.S.1900 Census, Standish, ME, p. 211A and U.S.1910 Census for Standish.
31. U.S.1860 Census, Standish, ME, p. 32.

31a. Standish VR misspelled the family name of Graffam as "Graffour."
We accept the spelling from family records.

32. Dedham VR [Births/Deaths], p. 65, and U.S.1850 Census Dedham.
33. Maine VR.
34. U.S.1900 Census Standish, ME, p. 211A. This census lists William Ward as single, res. with his sister, Sarah, at Standish, with his occupation as millwright while other evidence supports that he was ill at this time and married to Flora who was res. in Jersey City, New Jersey.
35. The U.S. 1880 Census for Standish gives Lydia's occupation as "Teacher Command."
35a. Standish VR.and Pension Papers dtd. 13 May 1915.
36. U.S. 1860 Census, Standish, ME, p. 32; U.S. 1870 Census Standish, p. 33; U.S.1880 Census, Biddeford, ME, p. 42.
37. Biddeford, ME VR [Births], 1:217.
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CHAPTER 13

David and Harriet (Hearn) Ward at Sebago

DAVID[5] H. WARD, (Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) was the last of seven children of Jonathan and Sarah (Hall) Ward. David was born 24 March 1806[1] and married HARRIET M. HEARN, who was born in 11 April 1806[2]. He was a blacksmith.

Children of David and Harriet (Hearn), surname Ward:

51. i. ALMIRA[6] b. poss. at Freedom, NH, 27 Nov. 1826, (Brownfield VR, p. 146). [Ch. death records give her birth place as Standish and Fryeburg], d. 5/6 April 1893, (ME VR); m. at Sebago, STEPHEN MCDONALD, of Sebago, b. 23 July 1814, d. at Sebago, 5 Jan. 1892, ae. 77 yrs., 5 mos., 16 dys. Bur. at N. Sebago Cem. (ME VR, [Death]), son of JOHN and BETSY (JORDAN) McDONALD.

ii. SARAH[6] (SALLY), b. 10 April 1828/9 (Brownville VR), d. 28 Jan. 1898 (before 1900); m. at Sebago, her cousin, SHURBURN WARD, b. 10 Aug.1823 (Scarboro VR), d. 23 March 1906. Son of William and Mary (Libby) Ward. (See Ch. 10). Res. on Mountain Rd. on the McDonald Place. (U.S. 1900 Sebago (Cumberland Co., ME Census). The 1850 and 1860 census gave his occupation as carpenter and wheelwright. Ch. MARY ETTA; HELLEN, ELLEN; IDA. (See Ch. 10 for discussion of children).

52. iii. DAVID, JR., b. at Sebago 29 July 1831 (Brownville VR); m. 23 April 1854 OLIVE JANE SHAW, at Baldwin, b. 16 Aug. 1835, d. ca. 27 March 1890.

iv. WILLIAM HENRY, b. 10 July 1834 (Brownfield VR), d. ca. 14 Feb. 1914 (U.S.1850 Sebago Census), m. CATHERINE DIANA THORN, b. 30 Nov. 1841, d. 16 Sep. 1887.

v. HARRIET H., b. at Brownfield, 1 Nov. 1836 (Brownfield VR), d. at Casco, 10 Nov. 1917, bur. in Lakeside Cem., Casco ME. [Death record states her par. William Ward and Harriet Hern]; m. SUMNER LORD, son of SAMUEL and SALLY? LORD, Sumner b. at Waterford, Aug. 1830, d. at Casco 12 April 1911, bur. at Lakeside Cem, Casco. He was a farmer and a Civil War soldier. (See app. I). Ch. LEWIS H. b. at Casco, 20 Aug. 1869, d. at Casco 22 Feb. 1944. He was also a farmer (Info. by Sherman Lord).

52a. vi. LYDIA ANN, b. in NH, 28 April 1838 (Brownfield VR). (Sebago 1850 & 1870 Census), d. at Standish 27 June 1900 of progressive paralysis (Standish VR Death). She worked in factory.

vii. EBENEZER (EBEN) b. ca. 1838/1842 (1850 Sebago Census); m. MARY ELLEN JACKSON b. 1851, d. 1907. He was a Civil War soldier. (See app. I). Ch. MARY AMANDA, b. 24 Jan. 1862, m. (1st) 9 Jul. 1891 MICHAEL LIDDLE of Omaha NB; m. (2nd) CHARLES GREEN, div., Ch. EDNA, m. HARRY MURCH of Baldwin; HENRY AUGUSTUS, d. at Naples, unm.; SARAH A. (SADIE, b. 30 Mar. 1870, d. 9 Oct. 1962, m. 26 Dec. 1887 ALFRED G. FOSTER, b. 25 Oct. 1961, d. 14 Feb. 1942, res. at Steep Falls. Ch. MABEL, b. 31 Mar. 1888, m. (1st) RICHARD MERRIFIELD of Sebago, d. 30

May 1913; m. (2nd) THOMAS HARMON of Limington, b. Sep. 1877; WILLIAM, b. 25 Aug. 1889, m. EVERETT FLOYD; ERNEST, b. 2 Oct. 1893.

viii. LORENZO D[6]., b. ca. 10 May 1843, d. at Scarboro, 16 Oct. 1924, bur. in N. Sebago. He was a farmer; m. his bro. David, Jr's wife OLIVE JANE SHAW, b. 16 Aug. 1835, d. 27 March 1890. (See above).

Children of Lorenzo and Olive (Shaw/Ward), surname Ward:

1. CYNTHIA[7] P. (twin to Mahlone), b. at Sebago ca. 25 June 1866/7 (ME VR), d. 18 May 1950; m. GEORGE W. SHAW, b. at Sebago, 16 Nov. 1853 (1860 Sebago Census), d. 16 July 1947, son of LEVI and HANNAH S. (BURRELL) SHAW (ME VR).

   Children of George and Cynthia (Ward), surname Shaw:

   (i). CURTIS JOSEPH[8], b. ca. April 1883, (U.S. 1900 Sebago Census), d. after 1908; m. at Portland, 30 June 1908, MARY CLANCY, dau. of DANIEL and HANNAH (WELCH) CLANCY.

   (ii). BERTHA H., b. at Sebago ca. Dec. 1885 (1900 Sebago Census); m. at Bridgton, ME, 5 Nov. 1913, FREDERICK L. MARTIN, b. ca. 1877, d. at Bridgton. Ch. unnamed at birth, ____, b. at Bridgton, 11 June 1914, d. at Bridgton, 30 June 1917.

   (iii). MAMIE E., b. Sept. 1888 (Sebago 1900 Census); m. 9 Oct. 1911, CHARLES H. BACHELDER.

   (iv). ARNOLD W., b. at Sebago ca. Dec. 1890 (U.S.1900 Sebago Census).

   (v). CARL WENDALL, b. at Sebago, 1 Dec. 1892 (U.S.1900 Sebago Census), d. at Portland, 7 Jan. 1935; m. 7 Sept. 1914 at Steep Falls, ME, HELENA MAUD SANBORN, b. at Baldwin, 14 Feb. 1894, d. at Portland, 15 Jan. 1937 dau. of JOHN R. and BETTIE (SHAW) SANBORN,(ME VR). Ch. dau. b./d. at Baldwin 2 March 1915; CLAYTON BALDWIN, b. at Portland, 16 March 1918; ALTON ELWOOD, b. at Portland, 24 Aug. 1920, d. ae. 2 yrs., 7 Feb. 1923. (ME VR).

2. MAHLONE (twin to Cynthia), b. at Sebago ca. 1866/7, d. 16 Nov. 1933, m. at Harrison, ME, ADDIE L. SCRIBNER. Res. at N. Rochester, NH (U.S.1900 Sebago Census).
3. ONVILLE, b. at Sebago Aug. 1869. Res. at Scarboro (1906 Sebago Census).
4. LEWIS FRANK, b. at Sebago Sept. 1870 (1880 Sebago Census). He was a barber. Res. at N. Rochester, NH, working as engineer (1906 Census).
5. LEONARD H. b. at Sebago ca. 1875 (1880 Sebago Census). Res. at Brocton, MA, worked at a cotton or woolen mill.

51. STEPHEN and ALMIRA McDONALD resided on Folly Road at Sebago, and later resided on the farm that afterwards was owned by Rev. William Ward. Later Stephen bought the place on Mountain Road where he died. This is possibly the house next to the old John Ward house in N. Gorham.

Children of Stephen and Almira[6] (Ward), surname McDonald[3]:

i. CHARLES ORIN[7], b. at Sebago 1 March 1844 (1850 Sebago Census), d. 3 Nov. 1873.

ii. JOHN FRANKLIN, b. at Sebago 7 July 1846, d. at Fairfield, ME 8/9 Feb. 1899 (ME VR), ae. 50 yrs., 6 mos., 1 dy. (ME VR); m. HELEN A.___, b. ca. 1850; m. ca. 1873. Res. near his father's place which he sold to his bro. ASHVILLE. Rem. to White Rock. Ch. LULU GENEVA, b. at Sebago, m. ED BACHELDOR, of N. Sebago, d.s.p.; HAROLD TRACY.

iii. ASHVILLE (ASHVILL), b. at Sebago, 19 Feb. 1851, d. 26 Dec. 1896 at Naples ae. 45 yrs. 10 mos., of typhoid fever (ME VR) bur. Richville Cem, m (1st) at Casco, 6 Dec. 1875, M. S. REYNOLDS; one dau. LILLIAN, b. at Sebago 1877, d. 1962, bur. at Richville Cem., m. (2nd) at Standish, 23 Nov. 1889, LAURA ANN SMITH, of Standish, b. ca.1859 (U.S.1880 Sebago Census), dau. of ELI SMITH, d.s.p. Ashville bought father's place from bro. John. Ashville was a laborer, Standish. Ch. LILLIAN (A.),.

iv. SARAH VYREAN, b. at Standish, 29 Dec. 1848, d. at Standish, 1928, bur. at Hamblin Cem., Richville, ME; m. (1st) QUIMBY; m. (2nd) EDGAR SMITH, b. 1870 (ME VR). Res. at Sebago and Richville. Bur. at Richville Cem. Ch. GEORGE McDONALD.

53. v. HARRIET ANNA[7], (HATTIE), b. at Naples, ME, 7 Jan. 1853 (1870 Sebago Census), d. at Limington, ME, 25 Oct. 1955 ae. 102, bur. in Marr Cem., Limington, ME; m. at Rockester, NH, 22 Nov. 1873, WILLIAM PARKER MARR, b. at Limington, 22 Nov. 1836, d. at Limington 18 Aug. 1900. He was son of DENNIS and PHEBE (LORD) MARR, of Limington. Both Harriet and William members of Baptist Chur.

vi. WILLARD FRANCES, b. at Sebago, 4 Sept. 1855 (U.S. 1860 Sebago Census). May have rem. to Oregon.

vii. LEWELLYN COLBY, b. at Sebago , 4 July 1858 (U.S.1860 Sebago Census), d. 30 Oct. 1890, bur. N. Sebago Cem., unm.

viii. LAURA ELLA, b. at Sebago, 23 April 1868 (U.S.1870 Sebago Census), d. 30 Oct. 1890; m. at Standish, ALBERT WELCH, 23 May 1889.

ix. MARTHA LIZZIE, b. 4 Feb. 1865, d. 27 April 1865. (GEORGE E., b. at Sebago, Oct. 1869 (1870 Sebago Census); m. 12 Oct. 1921, CLEOLA O. MORSE. Enumerated as boarder with SYLVIA M. RICH. (U.S.1900 ME Census). Both bur. Richville Cem.).

52. DAVID WARD, JR., son of David and Harriet (Hearn) Ward, was a blacksmith, a Civil War soldier and died during the war. She married (2nd) David's bro., Lorenzo D. Ward (see below).

Children of David and Olive Jane (Shaw/Ward), surname Ward:

i. THANCY[7]; m.___DOW.

ii. DAVID HENRY, b. ca. 1855 (1880 Census), d. at S. Portland; m. CLARA A. RUSSELL, b. at Sebago, ca. 1857. Res. at S. Portland.

Children of David and Clara (Russell), surname Ward, (Taken from 1900 Soundex, Harrison, ME):

1. ALPHONSO E., b. Dec. 1876, m. (1st) ____; m. (2nd) 28 May, MAUD C. DOW, dau. of JOHN W. and BERTHA (SHAW) DOW (ME VR).
2. LOUIE D., b. Jan. 1887.
3. MARY E. (D.L.), b. April 1882.

iii. MARSHALL, b. at Sebago, ca. 1857 (U.S.1860 Sebago Census).

iv. MARY JANE, b. ca. 1859 (1860 Census); m. JOHN CANNELL. Ch. WILLIAM.

52a. Lydia A. Ward is listed as single in the Census of 1870 and 1880[3] and housekeeper for Benjamin Lowell. They resided at the Leander farm house. Benjamin, a farmer, was born about 1900 at Portland and also listed as single (U.S. Census, Standish). The one-to-two room Cape Cod frontier house was built with a fireplace in the center of the main floor and a loft above. Settlers developed this house around the mid-1600's with a gable roof just above the window to withstand high winds of the area. Houses were built on skids so they could be moved. Years later, both farmers and their buildings were growing older. They attached their outer buildings to the house alleviating the necessity of going out in cold weather to the barns and animal sheds. This new structure also conserved the poor, rocky land for more farming area.[4] The Leander farm house photographed recently is an example of a Cape Cod house with connected farm buildings. It is located on Route 113 on Peduawket Trail, near Steep falls. This house was hit five times by lightning within twelve years around 1926. Twelve trees were killed the same way within two years[5].

Leander Ward House

53. HARRIET ANN[7] MCDONALD was born at Naples, ME in 1853 and died in 1955 ae. 102 yrs., 9 mos., 18 dys. During her childhood she attended school at North Sebago where she lived as a child with her family.

Children of William and Harriet (McDonald), b. and m. at Limington, surname Marr:

i. PHEBE[8] (EMMA), b. 26 June 1881, d. at Winthrop, ME, 3 April 1971; m., 20 Nov. 1900, NELSON DINGLEY GRACE, b. at Chatham, NH, 16 June 1874, d. at Portland, ME, 28 March 1965, son of CHANDLER PAUL and ABBIE ELDORA (BEAN) GRACE. Phebe was a homemaker and teacher. Nelson was a farmer.

Children of Nelson and Phebe (Marr), surname Grace:

1. CLAYTON MARR[9], b. at Tamworth, NH, 26 June 1903, d. at Portland, ME, 20 April 1971; m. at Auburn, ME, 17 Sept. 1924, MARION DRAPER CHILDS, b. at Pittsfield, ME, 3 Feb. 1905, d. at Portland, ME, 31 Jan. 1990, dau. of EDWIN and JANE LOUISA (LIBBURY) CHILDS. Clayton was a poultry farmer.

Children of Clayton and Marion (Childs) surname Grace:

(i) CLAYTON MARR, JR.[10], b. 5 Dec. 1925; m. Oct. 1948, LOUISE TRON.

(ii) JEAN SHIRLEY, b. at Limington, ME, 4 May 1928; m. 23 Nov. 1948, ERIC RODNEY DOUGHTY, b. at Topsham, ME, 8 March 1926, son of JOHN H. and INA (HICKS) DOUGHTY, JR. Eric is an agricultural Engineer. Res. at Winthrop, ME in 1996.
Children of Eric and Jean (Grace), surname Doughty:

(1). DAVID JEROME[11], b. 11 April 1950; m. 8 Aug. 1970, SUSAN IDA COBB.

(2). DENNIS RODNEY, b. 5 Aug. 1951; m. 2 July 1983, DEBORAH MURPHY.

(3). CLAIRE DIANE, b. 18 May 1954; m. 18 Jan. 1974, STEVEN F. WILSON.

(4). ERICA JEAN, b. 30 July 1958; m. 21 May 1977, PETER W. DONLE.

(iii). HARRIET ANN, b. 14 May, 1931; m. 3 Jan. 1958 DAVID M. DIXON.

(iv). LUCILLE CHILDS, b. 17 March 1945; m. 3 June 1967 MARK S. EASTMAN.

ii. MARY[8] (HELEN), b. 10 Nov. 1892, d. at Portland, ME, 23 July 1948; m. at Limington, 20 Nov. 1912, LEROY O. PENLEY, b. at S. Paris, ME, 29 Nov. 1890, d. at Portland, Dec. 1964, son of FREMONT and LIZZIE (DREW) PENLEY. LeRoy was a steam engine operator. Ch. GENEVA HELEN, b. 26/28 Nov. 1916, d. ca. 1978, bur. Southeast Hebron?, ME. unm.

Notes for Chapter 13

1. Brownfield, ME VR, p. 146, and David H. Ward family papers.
2. The U.S.1860 Census for Sebago (Cumberland Co.), ME gave David's age as 46 and Harriet's age as 45. If we accepted the vital record as correct, both she and David would have been 54 years old. in 1860.
3. From Mrs. Almira McDonald family and cemetery papers owned by Mrs. Jean Doughty res. at Winthrop, ME in 1996, except George McDonald was listed in the 1870 Census, but not listed in the family papers. He might have been Sarah's son. U.S. Census, Standish 1870 and 1880.
4. *Portland Press Herald*, 3 April 1925.
5. Rachel Carley, *The Visual Dictionary of American Domestic Architecture,* (N.Y.: Henry Holt and Company), a reference book.

CHAPTER 14

Isaac and Maria (Hanscom) Ward at Cambridge, MA

ISAAC[6] WARD (Isaac Hall[5], Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) was born 24 October 1828 at Dedham/Otis, ME. He died at Cambridge, MA 28 December 1893 of dilatation of the heart at the age of sixty five years, two months and four days. His occupation at the time of his death was machinist.[1] He married MARIA(H) ANN HANSCOM 19 August 1856 performed by Clergyman S.L.Bowler.[2] She was the daughter of JOHN and NANCY HANSCOM.[3] Mariah died at Warren, MA, 7 January 1910 having received a widow's pension of $12.00 per month as widow of a Civil War soldier.[4] Both are buried at Riverside Cemetery, Orono, ME. Mariah was a fourth cousin to Laura Jeane Hanscom whom Isaac Hall married in 1858 following the death of his wife, Lucy.

Isaac's name is found in the Dedham Congregational Church book of records on two occasions. He was admitted aged 23 to membership of the church with his 18-year-old sister, Sarah, 5 January 1851 when they received their sacraments. Her parents, Nathan and Lucy Dexter, were also members of this church. While Isaac's name was not used in the Dedham Congregational Church's 150th Anniversary booklet, it is certain that the "Doe" referred to him. The church's Record Book entry dated 2 January 1851 stating that they had assented before the congregation to the Articles of Faith and the Covenant of the Church. However, the following year, Isaac fell into difficulty with the church and 3 July 1852, his "confession" was accepted as satisfactory to the church. Then in 1856, Isaac was seen at a tavern. After much effort to discuss this problem with him failed, the church voted 1 January 1857 to excommunicate him from the church.[5] It appears that his failure to appear for questioning prompted the church's action, even after a six-month's suspension, which was more than the original offense. He may not have even received the request to appear at the church for questioning. (A brief discussion of the history of excommunication may be found in the notes.) Since Isaac married Maria Hanscom 19 August 1856 at Orono and believed to have been working there as a chair maker, it is quite certain that he was not available to the pastor and officers of the Dedham church to discuss their difficulties with him.

They removed from Orono to Windham and their first son, Julius, was born there 3 April 1858. Isaac's father married to Laura Jeane Hanscom that fall 25 August 1858. Isaac and his family are found in the 1860 census where Isaac, 31, and Maria, 17, (listed as Ann M.) and their son, Julius E., 2, were residing.

Their daughter, Ruth Eleanor, was also born at Windham 8 December 1869. Isaac was a farm laborer with $1,000 valued real estate and $100.00 personal estate.[6] He served in the Civil War from his induction 10 April 1862 to his release at Portland 10 July 1863. (See appendix I for further information about his Civil War military service and his wife's application for widow's pension.)

Isaac was listed in 1867 Boston City Directory as residing on 3 Mystic. This probably was the Isaac of this family, although there was also another Isaac Ward living in this city. Lucy Anna was born at Boston 2 June 1870, so the family appears to have all removed from Windham and settled there by this time.

Isaac was listed in the 1871 through 1875 Boston City Directory residing on Cabot and King Street and working as an organ builder. The younger son, James Walker, was born in Boston in 1873. (See below for James' family.) By 1877 Isaac still working as an organ maker and his son, Julius, now teaching music aged 19, were residing at 33 Hammond. Lyman A. Ross, working as a picture frame maker, residing at 71 Myrtle married Ruth Eleanor 3 years later.

Isaac was described in a letter of recommendation by his former army commander as being "faithful, honest, capable and most deserving." This letter, dated 25 March 1878 at Portland, was written in relation to Isaac's possible application for a job of inspector at the Boston Custom House.

In 1879, the Boston Directory shows Isaac Ward working in gas fixtures and Julius E. Ward, music teacher, both living at 49 Kendall. William Walden, watchmaker, was residing at 12 Stafford while Lyman A. Ross was living at 4 Bromfield, Room 19. William Walden would marry Lucy Anna Ward in 1908, becoming her second husband. Also, about 1879 to 1880, Isaac is found working as a carpenter and machinist installing elevators, one being at the Gorham Silver Factory in Connecticut where he received a silver service and one dozen silver plated knives and forks in appreciation for his service. One Ward family paper states he served as inspector on this installation.

He is listed in the U.S.1880 Census at Jersey City (Hudson Co.), NJ working as a carpenter, and his name is found in the 1881/82 Jersey City, NJ City Directory residing with his brother, William H. Ward, while his family was residing on Kendall St., Boston.[6]

Later, 19 December 1881, H.N. Hopkins, a superintendent of the Erie Elevator Company at Jersey City, wrote a letter for general distribution writing that Isaac was "faithful, efficient and a first class workman" in his employment there as a carpenter installing an elevator. (Originals of several letters or recommendation are preserved by the author). The family papers include business cards for the Jersey City Machine Works which was located on Morris St. This large company, for which Isaac probably worked, promoted work for

mills, factories, mines, docks, dredging, marine work and freight and passenger elevators made for patented hydrolic or hand-operated steam power.

Maria A Ward

Isaac Ward

Isaac gave his wife a beautiful gold Waltham watch engraved "Birthday present from Isaac to Maria June 8/88" which she later gave to her daughter. The watch was then engraved "Mother to Anna June 2, 1903." The number engraved on the watch was "V 4449" and is in the possession of Maria's great, great granddaughter in 1998. The Cambridge City Directory for 1893 shows Julius E. Ward, musician, 81 Green. The Boston City Directory for 1894 listed Lucy A., widow of William, 58 Marion E-B, William Walden, salesman, 57 High, Isaac Ward, machinist, and Julius, musician, both at 52 Magazine Street. Isaac died in December 1893.

In 1897 Maria was listed as widow of Isaac and boarded at 246 Brooking. In 1902 she boarded at 17 Fairmont. By 1907-1908 Maria A. was listed as boarding at 65 Kinnaird. Julius, a musician and lecturer, boarded at 165 Auburn. and 1907 Julius, now a lecturer, roomed 40 Holworthy.

Maria died at Warren aged 67 of bright's disease and atrophy of the heart. The newspaper obituary lists cause of death as neuritis. The obituary also stated that she made her home with James for about three years, and was a member of the Woman's Relief Corps. Representatives of the Sons of Veterans served

as pall bearers. The funeral was held at J. Walker Ward's home. Rev. Allen J. Bronson, pastor of the Congregational Church, officiated.

Children of Isaac and Maria (Hanscom), surname Ward:

54. i. JULIUS EDGAR[7] (Isaac[6-5],Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) b. at Windham, 3 April 1858, d. 12 Dec. 1915 of pneumonia, ae. 57 yrs. 8 mos., 9 dys.; m. at Boston, 12 Oct. 1887, MRS. VIRGINIA E. (STEWART) MAIN, b. March 1853 in VA (U.S.1900 Census, Portland, ME), d. 10 Aug. 1927 ae. ca. 76 as result of a fall. (Tewksbury, MA VR, 430). Dau. ALIDA BROOKS; m. at Cambridge, 2 June 1913, ALDEN ALONZO (OLLIE) BAKER, b. at Cambridge ca. 1891, d. 3 Jul. 1967, son of ALDEN FRANCIS and LIZZIE (TAYLOR/CLARK) BAKER. (Cambridge VR, [Marriage], transcript 619A: 364/400).

55. ii. RUTH ELEANOR, b. at Windham, 8 Dec. 1860, d. at Boston, 9 July 1881, ae. 21 of bright's disease. (Ward Family papers); m. at Boston, at ae. 19, LYMAN A. ROSS, ae. 28, 8 May 1880 by Rev. Robert G. Seymour, pastor, Ruggles Street Baptist Church, Boston (Record of Marriage No. 088271 J, Boston, and The Congregational Library, Boston). Ch. INEZ RUTH ROSS, b. at Boston, 22 March 1881, d. at Boston, 28 July 1881, of cholerufation.

56. iii. LUCY ANNA, a nurse, b. at Boston, 2 June 1870, d. at Boston/Dorchester, 15 April 1914, ae. 43 yrs., 10 mos., 11 dys. of cerebellum tumor (ca. 2 mos.) and chron. nephritis (ca. 5 yrs.), bur. at Springfield (Boston, MA VR); m. (1st) CLARENCE E. BARTLETT at Orono, ME, 2 June 1891, div. 20 Oct. 1899 bec., "Utter desertion" (#1 Div. Records vol. 4, p. 82, Superior Ct. of Penobscot Co., ME); m. (2nd) at Boston 28 Nov. 1908, WILLIAM WALDEN, b. at New York, NY, son of JOHN and CATHERINE (DOREMUS) WALDEN. Res. at 75 Sydney St., Boston.

iv. JAMES WALKER[7] WARD. b. at Boston (Middlesex Co.) MA, 19 Dec. 1873, d. at Orlando, (Orange Co.), FL, 14 March 1941 (Obit Orlando, FL *Morning Sentinel*, 15 March 1941); m. at Cambridge 27 Nov. 1895, ANNIE ELIZABETH BARTLETT, b. at Cambridge, 2/3 Jan. 1875 where her par. res., DANIEL and MARY ANN (GUNNING) BARTLETT. Annie d. at Orlando, 1 May 1967 (FL VR).They are bur. in the Greenwood Cem. at Orlando. (For further discussion of this family and their descendants, see ch. 15).

54. JULIUS EDGAR[7] WARD was a large and robust person, an accomplished musician and renowned singer. He taught probably at the Conservatory at Boston which was a proprietary school from 1887 until 1933.

He taught piano lessons to Annie E. Bartlett who was ready to perform with orchestra when she met Julius' brother, James Walker, whom she married. Julius' marriage to MRS. VIRGINIA E. (STEWART) MAIN was his first and her second. She at age 16 married (1st) at Ludlow, MA, 9 January 1870, HERBERT H. MAIN, a 23-year-old carman residing at Hartford, CT, as was the bride. They were married by Rev. C. S. Cushman. Herbert was the son of ELIJAH J. and CORNELIA H. MAIN. The marriage certificate shows her

Julius E. Ward

Virginia E. Ward

name as ELLA V. STEWART with her birthplace as Lynchburg, VA[7], although her death certificate shows her birthplace as Jamestown, VA. She was known as "Vera" by the Ward family. Her parents were JOHN and CAROLINE M. (PARSONS) STEWART. John was a painter, son of ALEXANDER STEWART, was born at Northhampton, MA residing at Springfield when he married Caroline at age of 23. She was the daughter of EDWIN D. PARSONS and was born at Ludlow.

Julius was a Special Student at Harvard College from 1883 to 1887 studying music literature, music harmony and the instrumental music of Haydn, Mozart, Beethoven and their successors. (Proficiency in piano or organ was required in some of these courses).[8]

Julius and Virginia (Stewart) Main were married by Phillips Brooks, rector, Episcopal Trinity Church, Boston. Brooks was previously rector of the Holy Trinity Church of Philadelphia where he wrote the words to "O Little Town of Bethlehem" for his Sunday School. The words were put to music by his organist, Lewis H. Redner.[9] An obituary, datelined Kennebunk, ME., listed Julius as a teacher and composer who had many pupils in Maine. He was the musical director at the Congregational Church at Biddeford. He conducted several old folk concerts and wrote vocal music for several Boston papers. The

obituary listed his daughter Alida as "Mrs. E.A. Baker, of Kennebunk." (It appears the newspaper reported Baker's initials incorrectly, which should have been A.A. Baker).[9A]

Ollie and Alida (Ward) Baker

The daughter, ALIDA BROOKS, was born at Boston or Windham 17 May 1891 and married ALDEN ALONZO (OLLIE) BAKER, born at Chelsea, MA ca 1891, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lowell, MA, 3 July 1967, buried at Mt. Auburn Cemetary, Cambridge, MA (MA VR [Death]). He was a merchant and clerk in a sporting goods store. They resided at Westport, MA. The couple was living at Kennebeck at the time of her mother's death. Their daughter was DORICE VIRGINIA.

The Tuesday, July 19,1898 issue of The *Portland Daily Press* reported a severe accident in South Portland on the previous Saturday when Julius, his wife, his brother (James W. Ward) and baby were injured when their horse became frightened and ran into an embankment upsetting the carriage. Julius' ear was said to be nearly torn off and his hip severely bruised. His wife was injured in the chest. They were treated by the doctor at the "Whitmore cottage" at Cape Elizabeth. The paper printed a follow-up story saying that "Prof. Julius W. Ward, Pleasant street, returned home" the following Monday.

CARRIE E. R. MAIN, a daughter of Virginia (Stewart/Main) Ward by her first marriage, married August 9, 1899, EDWARD O. CUSHING, of Freeport. He was a noted teacher of music and organist at the Universalist Church of

Biddeford, and a former pupil of Julius Ward. They were married by The Rev. H. F. Moulton, pastor of the church. Three year-old Linton Bartlett Ward, a nephew, was a page, and Alida Brooks Ward, a sister, was flower girl. Ushers were Elijah J. Main and J. Walker, brothers of the bride. Prof. Ward rendered the musical program.[10]

Child of JULIUS EDGAR and VIRGINIA STEWART MAIN surname Ward:

i. ALIDA BROOKS, b. at Boston 17 May 1891, d. at St. Joseph's Hosp., Lowell, MA 3 July 1967, m. at Cambridge 2 June 1913 ALDEN ALONZO (OLLIE) BAKER. He was son of Alden Francis and Lizzie (Taylor/Clark) Baker (Cambridge, VR Co. marriage Soc. Sec. Vol. 619A, 364/400).

Children of ALDEN AND ALIDA (WARD) surname Baker:

1. DORICE VIRGINIA, b. at Chelsea, MA 13 Feb 1920, m. 7 Aug. 1942 HOMER ZWICKER, of Arlington, MA. (Arlington, MA VR). Children of Homer and Dorice (Baker) Zwicker: Gary; Lee (res. in Lakewood, FL); Joan; Wendy; Wayne; Jill.
2. DONALD, a construction contractor. Res. at Nashua, NH in 1998.
3. WILLIAM (BILLY), b. 11 July 1933. Optician in 1998; m. SHEILA McLEARN. Res. at Foxboro, MA. in 1998

55. RUTH ELEANOR WARD married LYMAN A. ROSS, the son of Maria and William J. Ross born in Sterling, MA about 1852. Lyman was a picture frame maker. It is not known whether he was related to Lyman Ross, who was a partner with Leroy Ward (1852-1928) in the freight business.

56. Isaac named his daughter "LUCY ANNIE BARTLETT" who was residing at Orono, ME in his will which stated that her travel expenses be paid by his estate to visit him and her mother, Maria, when they were ill and expenses to his funeral be paid. Her wedding announcement appeared in the Boston papers.[11] Her wedding to CLARENCE E. BARTLETT took place on her birthday at Hotel Parthia, on Shawmut St. at Isaac Ward's home, officiated by Rev. A. J. Gordon. Clarence Bartlett was the son of W. R. BARTLETT of Orono and was attached to the Massachusetts General Hospital. James W. Ward, a brother, was one of the ushers. The couple took the 5 o'clock boat to Bangor on their wedding trip. They resided at Hotel Parthia, an apartment hotel, located in the Roxbury section of Boston. It appears that the couple removed to Orono, ME, where they later divorced. J. Walker Ward visited his sister at Orono "enjoying some much needed country air and some fine bass fishing in the Penobscot."[12] Lucy Anna married (2nd) William Walden, as noted above.

Notes to Chapter 14

A word about the history of excommunication, which the early Congregational Churches practiced in the 17th century. Each congregation thought it could consign an offender's soul to everlasting perdition. They thought that Jesus Christ had bestowed on Peter the keys to God's Kingdom and they could bind an offender's sins upon the offender and thusly could either bar him from heaven in eternal damnation, or loose him and permit his entry into heaven. Puritan theologians, like The Roman Catholic Church, believed these keys were passed down through Peter to succeeding generations. Each congregation could consign the offender's soul to this eternal destruction. The Biblical authority for their excommunication

tradition may be found in Mt. 16:19 referring to the keys of heaven, and I Corinthians 5:3-4 where Paul advised Christians not to associate with immoral or greedy people and to drive them out from among them. Excommunication was a dreaded censorship with the hope that the sinner would be willing to repent and reform his sins.This thinking was gradually abandoned after 1680's but was still in practice during our family story noted earlier in this chapter.[13]

1. Cambridge (Middlesex Co., MA) VR [Death] 29 Dec. 1893.
2. Orono, ME VR Book 1839-1866, p. 273.
3. Ibid, p. 367.
4. U.S.Pension Agency, cert. #406026, dtd. 11 Aug. 1910.
5. Dedham, ME Book of Records, p. 10.
6. U.S.1860 Census Windham (Cumberland Co.), ME, p. 62 lists Isaac res. with his family and working as a laborer.
U.S.1880 census Index Boston (Suffolk Co.), vol. 30, sheet 23, line 49 lists Isaac's family res. here.
U.S.1880 Census Jersey City (Hudson Co.), NJ lists Isaac as res. with his bro. William H. Ward.
7. MA VR [Marriage]. 227:28:5.
8. *Harvard Alumni Directory*, 1910; *Harvard University Directory,* Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1913, p. 839; *The Harvard University Catalogue,* 1885-86 (Cambridge, pub. by The University, 1885), pp. 68,100; and Special Student Record.
9. Amos R. Wells, *A Treasury of Hymn Stories*, (Grand Rapids: Baker Book House, 1992), pp. 25-26.
9A. *The Atlantic Monthly*, JULIAS H. WARD, "White Mountains in Peril", vol. LXXI, Feb. 1893, pp 247-255. JULIUS HAMMOND WARD should not be considered a part of this *Ward Family* study, not known to be related.
10. *Portland Daily Press,* 19 July 1898.
11. *Boston Globe,* 2 June 1893; *Boston Record*, 2 June 1893.
12. *The Boston Herald,* 3 September 1893.
13. David C. Brown, *The Keys of the Kingdom: Excommunication in Colonial Massachusetts*, as reprinted by The New England Quarterly, vol. LXVII No. 4, Dec. 1994, pp. 531-563, by arrangement with the Colonial Society of Massachusetts.

CHAPTER 15

James Walker and Annie (Bartlett) Ward at Cambridge and Orlando, FL

JAMES WALKER[7] WARD (Isaac[5-6], Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) was active in social activities in Boston. Newspaper articles reveal he was president of the Boston Golden Hours Club 105 and president of Highland Associates. He was a member also of the Beacon Hill Club formed for social and literary enjoyment which held a ball with orchestra. James was one of 591 graduates who received a diploma from the evening class of YMCA during which the Hon. Eustace Fitz gave the out the diplomas and addressed the class. James' diploma was in bookkeeping.[1]

The Weekly Calendar of The First Congregational Church, Everett, MA of which The Rev. E.T.Pitts was pastor, lists James as joining this church on Confession of Faith on 6 March 1892.

The Cambridge Chronicle[1] printed an article on a meeting of the Cambridge Art Circle held "last Tuesday evening." This listed Miss Annie E. Bartlett as opening the meeting with a piano solo, "Nearer My God to Thee", and Julius Ward as accompanist for the evening. It appears that Annie Bartlett, Julius Ward, her piano teacher, and his brother, James Walker, were placed together in many social and musical events enabling James to meet his future wife.

The Ward family lore states that Annie was ready to appear with the symphony orchestra when she married. She and James were married at Cambridge, MA 27 November 1895 by clergyman, JESSE E. WAGNER, pastor of the Allston Methodist Episcopal Church located on Harvard Avenue, Cambridge.[2] Wedding stories appeared in *Cambridge Chronicle,* and *Boston Globe.*[2] James was aged 21 and she was 20 when they married. Annie's parents were DANIEL and MARY ANN (GUNNING) BARTLETT who both were born in England. They resided at 18 Sands Street, Cambridge at the time of this marriage. Daniel was a potter, and owned a farm in nearby Shirley. In later life, he removed to Clearwater, FL. His wife, Mary Ann Bartlett, died prior to 18 September 1914 when Daniel signed a deed on his Shirley property as "single." This family, excepting Mary Ann Bartlett, is interned in Greenwood Cemetery, Orlando.

Daniel was the son of WILLIAM and ANN BARTLETT, both of whom were born in England. Ann, born 1808, died 22 April 1881 aged 73, at "#26 Victoria Crescent, Baneswell, Newport" as taken from a memorial card displaying her lock of hair. The Daniel Bartlett property contained

approximately one hundred acres and was located on the east side of Town Road in the southeast part of Shirley. It had a large 2-family frame house where Daniel, his daughter Annie with her husband, James, their son, Linton and his wife Ruth, resided. Linton worked for a short time there. This appears to have been purchased in Mary Ann Bartlett's name from E.W. Adams by deed dated 28 November 1902.[3] A mortgage of thirteen hundred fifty dollars was held by the North Middlesex Savings Bank. The property was deeded from Mary Ann to her daughter, Annie E. Ward, 27 March 1903 and recorded 23 May 1903.[4]

This farm included a 49-acre tract, partly wooded, and included a meadow. The deed listed personal property on the premises "to wit all the hay now in the barn, one double mowing machine, one horse hay rake, one side hill plow, one farm wagon, one harrow, one brown horse "Nellie", one grey horse "Dick," one double harness, one single harness, two cows, one heifer, one calf, 50 fowl, one democrat wagon, and all small tools now on said farm." A demand note of fourteen hundred dollars payable at 5 per cent per annum was encumbered on the farm.[5]

Daniel Bartlett signed an easement to the Connecticut River Transmission Co. "to erect, maintain, operate and patrol a single or double line of either poles or towers" for telephone lines through the farm not to exceed 125 feet in width. He was paid $5.00 a pole and $20.00 a tower compensation for this easement. Deed of easement from Daniel Bartlett to Connecticut Transmission Co. dated 11 September, 1914.[6] (Middlesex Co. [Deeds], 3913:44-45).[6] He removed to Clearwater, FL where he lived for about 12 years prior to his death in 1931 at the age of 84.

James Ward tried his hand at the laundry business at Cambridge. A story stated that "A new laundry has been started on Columbia street. Mr. J.W.Ward, the proprietor, though a young man, has push and energy enough to ensure the success of the enterprise." His ad read as follows:

Do You Know
that by leaving your orders with **WARD'S**
CUSTOM LAUNDRY, either at the office
387 Columbia street, or postal card, you can be
better served in the laundry line than you
have ever been before. Strickly hand finished
work guaranteed. TRY US ONCE.

James Walker was also a rural mail carrier at Shirley and lived in his father-in-law's multi-family house at Shirley. A story in the *Boston Herald* began a story "rural delivery up to date." The story says J. Walker Ward, mail carrier for R.F.D. No. 1, uses a steam automobile to carry his mail. He had erected a carrier's desk on the front seat to place his mail. James was quoted as saying it

used to take 4½ hours to cover his 26-mile route with horse and buggy, now he can do it in an hour less "without hurrying."

He was commander of the George V. Barrett Camp, sons of Veterans. The Portland Evening Courier[7] ran a story that Mr. and Mrs. James W. Ward and baby were in the carriage accident (See above). The baby was two-year-old Linton Bartlett Ward, discussed below. James removed to a warmer climate on his doctor's advice due to asthma, choosing Florida. They first went to Winter Haven, where he managed the hundred-acre orange grove for the Perran-Thompson Company. The noted Jacock's 44-acre grove at Formosa, near Orlando, was owned by the National Underwriters of Indianapolis and was purchased by a group of investors who intended to make a specialty of fancy box shipments to the North. James Ward removed to Orlando in 1915 to manage this grove. During this time, his pecan exhibit at the Duval County fair held at the Phoenix Park Fair Grounds won the blue ribbon for the best exhibit of nuts outside of the county, being far superior than the Duval County nuts. J. Walker Ward, whose grove produced the nuts, was able to answer numbers of inquiries concerning Orlando and Orange County. He also displayed his fine line of packed fruit ready for shipment. The grove was one of the largest in central Florida where scientific management and care of the trees contributed to this line of fine fruit.

Ward's Filling Station at Orlando 1923

He bought lot #2 in Oakhurst Subdivision in Orlando from David B. Marsh of Middlesex Co., MA, 7 April 1920 and signed an indenture 21 October 1925 with R. E. G. Miller.[8] He bought lot 9 in the same subdivision from John H. Lawler, 21 October 1920[8] (Orange Co. Deed Book 213:4). Other land

transactions include puchases from K. E. Mansokia[9] Wilmott O. Nelson[9] and Harlan L. Gibson.[9] In 1923 James also bought lot 1 in the Oakhurst subdivision in Orlando, purchased from R. E. G. Miller[10.] He built what was said to have been the second gasoline service station between Jacksonville and Orlando. Except for five years when the station was leased to the Sunoco Oil Company, he operated it successfully until his sudden death in 1941. It was said that his independent service station was the largest of its kind in Orange County. His aim was to sell good products for less and give the utmost courteous service. He always sold several brands of gasoline including Texaco, Cities Service, Gulf and his own brand, "Eureka." His pricing was always competitive - 2 cents under the market, generally about 19.9 cents a gallon. He is said to have told the gasoline association merchants he would "rather wear out the soles of his shoes than the seat of his pants." At the time of his death he had buried new gasoline tanks with capacity to receive railroad tank car loads of gasoline from Jacksonville, an unusual accomplishment for his time. Doing this, he could purchase gasoline as cheaply as the distributors serving him. He also purchased the first computer gasoline pump in Orlando.

He and his wife, Annie, were recognized for their beautification efforts around the property where his home stood adjacent to the station. She was always planting, watering, pruning and re-arranging plants. At night, their rock garden was lit showing the quartzite from North Carolina, granite from Virginia, iron ore and pink granite from the Allegheny and Blue Ridge

Annie (Bartlett) Ward and Jip

J. Walker Ward

Mountains and coquina from the East Coast, all placed on a base of Ocala lime. His property on Orange Avenue was 125 front feet and bordered the main north-south Atlantic Coast Line railroad tracks. It was on this property he built his service station, garage apartment, a rental cottage, and cottage for use as his home.

During this time the Mayor and City Commissioners of Orlando appointed a Citizens Appraisal and Equalization Board to work with the city officials and tax assessor's office in reviewing valuations of property for taxation. This was done since there were some citizens who thought their assessments were unequitable. This committee was to be comprised of men with judgment and sufficient pride to make an equitable and fair basis for the 1927 tax roll. J. Walker Ward was appointed to this commission. The Commission selected Lake Lucerne lakefront property in Orlando as the highest property value and used that as the guide for evaluating other locations.

James 1927 "enclosed" Ford sedan made five round trips from Orlando to his cottage at Camden, ME over some roads that had not yet been paved. The week's trip was an event in itself at that time. He was a Mason and he and Annie were members of the First Presbyterian Church, Orlando and had been members of the Park Lake Presbyterian Church where he was a deacon. He died suddenly 14 March 1941 of cerebral hemorrhage due to hypertension and arteriosclerosis.[11] His wife, Annie, died 1 May 1967 aged 92 of pulmonary edema due to generalized arteriosclerosis and extensive herpes zoster.[12] In her later years, Annie sold her Orange Avenue property and purchased a cottage on W.Stetson Street where she and Anne resided.

Children of James Walker and Annie (Bartlett), surname Ward:

57. i. LINTON BARTLETT[8] (James[7], Isaac[6-5], Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]), b. at Cambridge, MA, 3 Oct. 1896, d. at Hampton, VA, 8 June 1957; m. at Turner, ME, 12 Feb. 1917, RUTH ELIZABETH BRIGGS (VR Turner [Marriage]), b. at Turner, 12 Feb. 1899, d. at Richmond, VA, 28 Oct. 1994, ae. 95 yrs., 8 mos., 16 dys. of pulmonary fibrosis (VA VR. [Death] Reg. #143, Cert. 1863). Ruth was dau. of EDSON and SARAH ELIZABETH (NUTTING) BRIGGS, adop. ca. 1900 by HENRY HART and LAURA (JOHNSON) BRIGGS when Sarah Elizabeth Nutting Briggs died.

Children of Linton and Ruth (Briggs), surname Ward:

58. 1. LINTON BRIGGS[9], b. at Lewiston, ME, 10 Dec. 1919, d. 12 Sep. 1998, m. at Clarksville, VA Presbyterian Church, 9 Dec. 1944 DOROTHY ELLA MARROW, b. at Soudan (Mechlenburg Co.), VA, 1 June 1921.

59. 2. DONALD HENRY, b. at Auburn, ME, 6 March 1924, m. 6 Jul. 1946, d. at his home at Hampton, of Cancer, 29 Oct. 1995, bur. at Parklawn Mem. Park, Hampton; m. ADA LEE MITCHELL, b. 3 Sept. 1928.

60. 3. GWENDOLYN MAE, b. at Orlando, FL, 13 Oct. 1928; m. at Norfolk, VA, 22 July 1950 CHARLES FREDERICK KEIL, b. at Richmond, VA, 23 July 1927.

ii. LAWRENCE WALKER, b. at Boston, 9 May 1899, d. unm. at Orlando, FL, 1918, ae. 19, of heart failure. He worked for his father who managed the Jacock's Grove at Formosa. Bur. at Greenwood Cem., Orlando.

iii. ANNE DENORA, adopted, b. ca. 1909, d. 4 Feb. 1994 at Sunbelt Living Center at Orlando following a lengthy illness with cancer; m. ae. ca. 21, GORDON HOLDINESS, div. ca. 1 yr. She res. with her par. at Orlando.

57. LINTON BARTLETT WARD graduated from the Shirley high school. Prior to leaving for his two-year agricultural course at the University of Maine he was given a farewell party at the Congregational Church and the Christian Endeavor Society of the church. The pastor, Rev. Allen A. Bronsdon, presided over the enjoyable evening. He graduated from the University in the Class of 1915. (Some records state he graduated in 1914). He met RUTH ELIZABETH BRIGGS at her farm at Turner, ME while he was employed by the Androscoggin Testing Association as an inspector testing cattle. They filed intentions, 12 December 1917 and were married at her home at 9:30 A.M., 19 December 1917 by Fredericke Newport, minister of the Turner Congregational Church.[13]

Ruth Briggs graduated from The Leavitt Institute, a private high school at Turner, in 1916. She and another student rode a horse and wagon for the 4-mile ride to school but boarded at the school's dormitory during the winter months. Her nine-year grammar grades were completed in a one-room school house, across the road from their farm house on Upper Street at Turner. Linton worked for his father-in-law, Daniel Bartlett, at his farm on Clark Road, Shirley. Linton was a member of the Alyer Grange. "Stick to one thing and do it your best," was the advice Linton gave in an article printed by *The Evening Reporter* on 3 December 1924.

This newspaper quoted a story from The *Lewiston* (ME*) Journal* as saying Auburn "Possesses a dairyman without a dairy; a milk route that dispenses 250 quarts of milk daily, without a cow in the proprietor's barn." Linton and his wife, Ruth at this time lived on a four-acre farm 3 miles out from Auburn on Mechanics Falls Road, the story continued. His training in milk distribution came from Elmer Briggs on Elmer's farm at East Auburn.

To do one thing was Linton's decision, either to keep cows and farm or to retail milk. He used a delivery truck, weather permitting, but reverted to horse and team when necessary. He started to build his business with just 50 quarts of milk delivered daily. Getting milk to the city was speedier with the truck but he felt the team was better for house to house delivery. While he experimented with market-gardening, (profitably putting 3 acres under cultivation of cucumbers, string beans and sweet corn), he thought it best to stick to one thing and do it well - that of retailing milk.

Linton and Ruth's house on Mechanic Falls Road burned in 1925. Their 16-month old son, Donald, was handed through a window of the burning building to safety by an employee, since his parents were away. They then removed to a house on River Road where they lived for three years. In 1927, he closed his retail milk delivery business and removed to Orlando where his parents lived. The trip was by a Merchants and Minor ship which docked at Norfolk enabling a visit with Ruth's sisters, PEGGY WOLF and MYRA BRIGGS.

Linton was employed by the Orange County Road Department at Orlando as an inspector or time keeper. During this time he earned his Civil Engineering degree from International Correspondence School. Upon graduation he became associated with the Virginia Department of Highways in 1929 and the family removed to Danville, VA. He was appointed Resident Engineer for the department in 1938 in charge of road maintenance of various counties. These were in the areas of Prince Edward (Farmville) 1938-1942, Louisa 1942-1949, Amelia 1949-1956 (Amelia, Nottoway and Powhatan Counties), Eastern Shore, VA 1956 to his death in 1957.

At Louisa during the war, he was active in the Presbyterian Church and was a member of the Louisa County Rotary Club. While at Amelia, he served as Fund Chairman of the Amelia County Chapter of the American National Red Cross, having served as Home Service Chairman at Louisa County during the war years. Certificates show his Red Cross work occurred during 1950 and 1954.

When he was transferred from Amelia to the Eastern Shore, VA in 1956 the Amelia Presbyterian Church's Session unanimously adopted a resolution expressing the church's appreciation and gratitude for the valuable contribution to the church and community given by both Linton and his wife. Recognition to him as elder, bible class teacher and member and his willingness to assume responsibility to advance the causes of the church. Ruth was recognized for her work in the church's women's organizations. She also was recording secretary for the Amelia County Garden Club.

At the Eastern Shore assignment, Linton met with various Women's Clubs advising them about the beautification of the two eastern shore counties. This including the planting and pruning of trees and shrubs along the highways. He wrote in the Eastern Shore News[14] a "Help Keep Your Highways Beautiful" article giving figures on the cost of road litter clean up. Among the comparisons, he wrote that the cost in 1956 of cleaning Route 13 was $133 per mile, or almost as much as the cost of snow removal. Linton was a Mason and member of the Rotary Club. Gardening was his hobby for which he was very proficient using his agricultural training. Long rows of beautiful gladiolus were grown on land that most said was of no value for crops. During the war he

experimented with the dehydration of vegetables which was popular at this period of time.

Linton died at the Hampton General Hospital, Hampton, Virginia 8 June 1957 of a coronary due to carcinoma of the pancreas and metatsis to the regional nodes and liver.[15] Ruth died at Richmond, 28 October 1994 of pulmonary fibrosis.[16] Both are buried at Richmond in the Westhampton Cemetery.

58. LINTON[9] BRIGGS WARD (Linton[8], James[7], Isaac[6-5], Jonathan[4], John[3],Joseph[2], George[1]) graduated from George Washington High School, Danville, VA in 1938, and Hampden-Sydney College, B.A. cum laude in 1942. He married DOROTHY ELLA MARROW, of Clarksville, VA, 9 December 1944 in the Clarksville Presbyterian Church. Dr. Francis M. Allen, minister of the church, performed the ceremony. (VR, Mecklenburg County, VA). She was the daughter of JAMES ALSTON and MYRA (BELL) MARROW. James was a pioneer in the road construction business, tobacconist, warehouseman, lumberman and philanthropist.

Following his commissioning as an Ensign in the Naval Reserve 2 December 1942, Linton commenced his service with duty in the Local Defense Forces at Norfolk area patrolling the entrance to the Chesapeake Bay. Later, he was assigned as an executive officer to the U.S.S. LSM (Landing Ship Medium) 16, a new type of amphibious landing craft. This ship served as a training vehicle for new LSM crews at Little Creek Amphibious Base, Norfolk, VA. Then this 206-foot landing craft was ordered to the Pacific Theatre with calls to Eniwetok, Guam, Saipan, Okinawa, Philippines and Tulaghi, Guadalcanal. The LSM participated in no engagements but operated in enemy waters in much of its Pacific assignments and was beached just west of Okinawa on Ie Shima Island on the night that the surrender of Japan was announced while unloading air force personnel and their equipment The LSM made two trips to Japan after hostilities ceased. After the war, Linton entered the advertising field, serving as as advertising representative from 1947 to 1948 for the Fredericksburg, VA *Free Lance-Star* and the Raleigh, NC *Times* from 1949 to 1952.

Following two years as a copywriter with the Blair Division of Morton Manufacturing Company in Lynchburg, VA, he removed to Richmond, VA where he was appointed account executive for the Richmond newspaper-owned WRNL Radio. The sales, advertising, and marketing career moved to other radio stations including WEZS, WTVR where he served as sales manager, and WLEE until his retirement in 1987, and an advertising agency stance for a short period after his retirement. Linton completed his satisfactory naval reserve service and retired in 1968 as a Lieutenant Commander. During this period he

served as commanding officer of the Naval Reserve Surface Unit 5-15 from 1958 to 1960. He was a member of the Kiwanis Club of North Richmond, The American Marketing Association, Richmond Chapter, and the Advertising Club of Richmond, and an elder at the Overbrook Presbyterian Church.

Dorothy Ward graduated from the Clarksville High School in 1938 as a valedictorian. She attended the University of North Carolina Woman's College at Greensboro and graduated from the State Teacher's College (later Longwood College) at Farmville, VA with a B.S. in home economics. She earned her certificate in occupational therapy at Virginia Commonwealth University in Richmond in 1966 and was Supervisor of Occupational Therapy at the Virginia Treatment Center for Children at Richmond. She was a member of the Virginia Occupational Therapy Association, the American Occupational Therapy Association and an elder at the Overbrook Presbyterian Church.

Children of Linton and Dorothy (Marrow), surname Ward:

61. i. ELIZABETH ANNE[10] (Linton[9-8], James[7], Isaac[6-5], Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]), b. at Louisa, VA 6 Nov. 1946; m. 23 Aug. 1969 at Overbrook Presbyterian Church, ROBERT LESLIE CHEEK, b. at Ann Arbor, MI 28 May 1947. Elizabeth played viola in the Richmond Youth Orchestra, in college and in their church orchestra. Robert played the trombone at college and in the Kempsville Presbyterian Church orchestra at Virginia Beach, VA. Ch. CHERYL ANNE, b. at Charlotte, NC, 9 Oct, 1973, grad. from First Colonial HS, VA Beach, VA, and Va. Tech in 1995, with a B.S. degree majoring in interior design. Cheri is employed as an interior designer by Associated Space Design, Inc. at Atlanta, GA in 1998. She married STEPHEN FLORAN CAMPBELL, JR, son of STEPHEN and ELAINE CAMPBELL, of Burke, VA. 24 Aug. 1996. Steve also grad. from Va. Tech in 1995 with a B.A. Degree in political science and legal studies. He is employed as a Director of Communications at Georgia Motor Trucking Assoc in 1998.

ii. Son, d.y.

62. iii. LINTON BRIGGS,[10] JR., b. at Raleigh, NC, 5 Jan. 1953; m. at Raleigh, N.C. 12 May 1978 MICHELE ALICE STRUBLE, b. Santa Monica, CA, 10 Sept. 1951. Ch. SAMUEL ISAAC, b. at Raleigh, NC, 9 June 1980; REBECCA ANNE. b. at Saugerties, NY, 5 April 1982; JESSICA LYNNE. b. at Saugerties, NY, 11 Jan. 1984.

59. DONALD HENRY[9] WARD graduated from the Farmville, VA High School and joined the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics (NACA) at Hampton, VA. An uncle, CHARLES E. WOLF, husband of CHARLOTTE M. BRIGGS, sister of RUTH (BRIGGS) WARD, influenced Donald to join NACA. Charles Wolf was among the first employees at NACA joining that group immediately following World War I. He retired about 1949 and removed to Turner, ME where he purchased a farm house on Upper Street.

Donald volunteered to serve in the Marines at the outbreak of World War II and was assigned to VMB 612 as Quartermaster. The mission of the unit was to patrol and conduct night rocket attacks against Japanese shipping. The unit's

tour in the Pacific included a thirty-day layover at Eniwetok arriving there 23 September 1944. He was stationed on Saipan for eight months where he saw his brother, Linton, who made a brief stop there while enroute from Okanawa to Tulaghi, Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands. Donald's unit was transferred to Okinawa 25 July 1945. They remained on Okinawa for 3 months and were there at the Japanese surrender in August 1945.

Donald married ADA LEE MITCHELL after the war. She was born at Hampton, VA, 3 September 1928 and is descended from ANDREW RUSSELL MITCHELL and MARY JABE GOODRICH. Their third child, MACKLIN SALVANIAS MITCHELL was born 2 November 1872 and died 15 November 1930, married (1st) CARRIE L. MAGEE April 13, 1893 and married (2nd) ADA LEE BABER 29 February 1919. Ada was born in Buckingham County, VA. The three Mitchell brothers immigrated from Scotland and settled at Waverly, VA later removing to Newport News, VA. Ada Lee Baber was descended from the REV. NATHAN ANDERSON who was born in England about 1745. He came to America and settled in Hanover County, VA removing to Louisa County just after the Revolutionary War. He married MARTHA PUREAR, and died in 1821. His son, JOHN B. ANDERSON, third of nine children was born 30 July 1782 in Hanover County, VA, married NANCY LASLE, of Louisa County, VA. John died 23 January 1863 in Louisa County. His wife, Nancy, was born 18 June 1787 and died 12 July 1854. They had 11 children.

John B. Anderson, son of John and Nancy Anderson, and grandson of Nathan, married MARY E. MORRIS and had 10 children. Nannie C. Anderson was the 9th of 10 children and born 23 March 1861 and married Robert Baber 24 October 1889. They had 10 children among whom was ADA LEE (BABER) MITCHELL, mother of Ada Lee (Mitchell) Ward, wife of Donald Ward. Ada's step-father was GEORGE KEITH SINCLAIR who owned and operated a feed and seed store located in the postal express building in the old railroad station at Hampton. Robert Baber was a blacksmith and large landholder in Buckingham County, VA.

After the war, Donald Ward graduated from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1952 with a mechanical engineering degree and returned to NACA. He was assigned to the staff of the 8-foot Transonic Wind Tunnel at NACA's Langley Research Center at Hampton. NACA later was renamed the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

In 1955, Donald was named head of the Operations Group of the 8-foot tunnel, and in August 1961 was named Chief of Operations for Project Fire in the Flight Re-entry Programs. After two successful Project Fire flights, he joined the Lunar Orbiter Project Office as Spacecraft Launch Operations Manager in May 1965.

The mission of the Lunar Orbiter Project was to photograph the moon in order to aid in selection of suitable landing sights for Project Apollo. That project was completed in 1967 after photographing in detail over 99% of the moon's surface. Donald received a letter of commendation and a cash award from the Langley Incentive Awards Committee in 1968 for "sustained superior performance in the management of the Lunar Orbiter Spacecraft Launch Operations and for effectively representing the Lunar Orbiter Project Manager in all areas at Cape Kennedy as Deputy for Eastern Test Range Operations. This performance significantly contributed to the launching of five successful Lunar Orbitor missions at Cape Kennedy in less than one year."

When the Viking Project Office was formed in 1969 he was named Launch Operations Manager and Project Safety Officer. Project Viking included unmanned orbiters and landers that were launched to the Planet Mars in 1975.

Donald's final assignment before retiring was Construction Manager for the building of a large new $85 million erxogenic transonic wind tunnel for NASA.

Donald was an elder for 30 years in the First Presbyterian Church at Hampton. He was an accomplished furniture builder and carpenter, and in retirement a consultant with Microcraft, Inc. for several Langley projects.

Children of Donald and Ada (Mitchell), surname Ward;

i. BEVERLY JEAN[10], b. at Radford, VA, 23 June 1950; m. (1st) at Hampton, 27 June 1970, MIKE ANTHONY, div. June 1977; m. (2nd) 24 Nov. 1979. Maj. ALLEN BLAINE BOWSER U.S.Air Force, b. at Parkersburg, WVA, 9 Jan. 1950, son of GEORGIA (CARTER) and BLAINE BOWSER. He served in England, Pentagon, Hawaii. As Col., he was appointed commanding officer of 91st Missile Security Group, Minot, ND in July 1993 and Director of Law Enforcement and Training for the U.S.Air Force and Security Police under the Air Force Security Agency, Kirtland Air Force Base, Albuquerque, NM in July 1994. Ch. KRISTIN LEE, b. at Dover, DEL, 21 Jan. 1981; SHANNON ELIZABETH, b. at Dover, 23 March 1982.

ii. CAROL SUE, b. at Hampton, VA 23 Oct. 1954; m. at Hampton, March 1979. DONALD ANGELO COCCOLI, b. 6 Nov. 1946. He served as football coach and director of activities at the Ferguson High School, Newport News in addition to teaching history and acting assistant principal there. Carol served as director of the Presbyterian Pre-School at Newport News. Ch. all b. at Newport News: DAVID DONALD, b. 15 Jan. 1981; SARAH FRANCES, b. 26 Sept. 1982; DANIEL, b. 13 March 1986.

iii. Rev. DONALD HENRY[10], JR., b. at Newport News, VA, 14 Oct. 1959, a minister in the Presbyterian Church of America (PCA); m. at Towson, MD, CARON LISA SCHARP, b. 2 March 1960. Donald grad. from James Madison Univ. at Harrisonburg, VA and earned his Master of Divinity degree at the Reformed Theological Seminary at Jackson, MS. He served as associate pastor of the Midway Presbyterian Church at Powder Springs, GA from 1985 to 1988 and then was assigned to organize a new So. Dayton Presbyterian Church at Centerville, OH. In 1997 he accepted a call to organize the Grace Community Presbyterian Church (PCA) at Charlottesville, VA. Ch. EMILY ELIZABETH,

b. at Marietta, GA, 23 Nov. 1985; ANNA CATHERINE, b. at Dayton, OH, 27 April 1990.

60. GWENDOLYN MAE WARD graduated from Louisa (VA) County High School and attended Radford College. She graduated in 1949 from Virginia Polytechnic Institute (VPI) at Blacksburg, VA with a degree in home economics. She married CHARLES FREDERICK KEIL, son of ALFRED WILLIAM and LENORA (MARTIN) KEIL, of Richmond, VA where Alfred owned and operated A. W. Keil Plumbing and Heating. He acquired considerable residential and business properties there. Charles Frederick graduated from VPI in 1949 with a degree in civil engineering. He worked in the family business for ten years before becoming associated with the Virginia Engineering Company which later became Basic Construction Company. He later worked as an engineer in several capacities for the City of Richmond. He was employed by the Commonwealth of Virginia for 6 years as Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds being responsible for the state capitol buildings, including the state capitol and governor's mansion. He retired in 1982. Charles is a 32nd degree Mason, a member of the Scottish Rite and Acca Temple Shrine, a Past Master of Northside Lodge 292 and past president of Eastgate Lions Club. He served as a deacon and elder at Fairfield Presbyterian Church and as a deacon at Ginter Park Presbyterian Church, both in Richmond, VA

Gwyn rendered long term service at the Richmond Home for Ladies, serving as president of the Board of Lady Managers and later as a member of the Board of Directors. She also was an elder in the Ginter Park Presbyterian Church.

Children of Charles and Gwyndolyn (Ward), surname Keil:

i. ALFRED BARTLETT (BART), b. at Richmond, VA, 22 Feb. 1952; m. (1st) at Richmond, 17 June 1972, GAIL GEE, div. ca. 1979; m. 7 July 1979 (2nd) MRS. EUGENIA (DIETRICH) DAVIS, b. 29 July 1950. Bart is an attorney practicing at Chesapeake, VA in 1998. Adop. Ch. MATTHEW ROSS, b. 4 Nov. 1985.

ii. KIMBERLY LYNN, Adop. at 5 mos., b. at Newport News, VA, 9 Feb. 1963; m. at Richmond, 20 April 1985, JOHN CHRISTOPHER BYLES, b. 25 Sept. 1960. Ch. JOHN CHRISTOPHER, JR., b. at Roanoke, VA, 12 March 1986; REBEKAH LYNN, b. at Roanoke, 6 April 1988.

The generation of Linton[9], Donald[9] and Gwyndolyn[9] has been proven to be 11th descendants of John and Priscilla (Mullins) Alden and therefore are entitled to the membership of The Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of Maine and the General Society of Mayflower Descendants.

61. ELIZABETH ANNE was born at Louisa, VA, 6 Nov. 1946. She graduated from John Marshall High School, Richmond, VA in 1965; St. Andrews Presbyterian College, Laurinburg, NC in 1969 with a B.A. in elementary education. Elizabeth taught second grade in Maxton, NC in 1970 and in

Charlotte, NC in 1973. Elizabeth began working in bookkeeping and sales at Tait Seed Co. in Norfolk, VA in 1979. Tait Seed Co. was purchased by Wetsel Seed Co. in 1985. She became the bookkeeper for Virginia Beach Community Chapel in 1995. Elizabeth married ROBERT LESLIE CHEEK, born at Ann Arbor, MI, 28 May 1947. He graduated from St. Andrews Presbyterian College in 1971 with B.A. in psychology. They were married by The Rev. James A. Marrow, of Arlington, TX, her uncle, and The Rev. George M. Ogilvie, pastor of Overbrook Presbyterian Church. Robert is the son of ANITA BUNDY CHEEK and the late HAROLD RUSSELL CHEEK of High Point, NC. Harold served with distinction as city manager of that city for many years.

Robert Cheek worked 12 years for Tandy Corp. as the general manager of 6 Radio Shack Stores and 2 Tandy Computer Centers. While there he earned many awards including manager of the year. He also won several sales contests which resulted in four overseas trips for him and Elizabeth. In 1985 Robert became Director of Support Operations for Imagination Systems, Inc. in Virginia Beach, VA. In 1991 Robert and two partners founded CPC Systems, Inc. with Robert as it's president and chief systems engineer. In 1992, he became a Certified Network Engineer. In 1993 he founded Computer Network Specialists and serves as president and chief analyst. Elizabeth is the firm's bookkeeper.

62. LINTON BRIGGS WARD [10] JR. (Linton[9-8], James[7], Isaac[6-5], Jonathan[4], John[3], Joseph[2], George[1]) , was born at Raleigh, NC, 5 January 1953. He graduated from Douglas Freeman High School, Richmond, VA in 1971; Ferrum College, 1973 with A.S. Degree; Roanoke College, 1975 with a B.S. Degree; North Carolina State College, 1981 with Ph.D, Dissertation Topic in field of Low Energy Nuclear Physics. He then was employed by International Business Machines (IBM), at Kingston, NY as a Reliability Engineer, Engineering Manager and Advisor Engineer in Numerical Intensive Computing. During the summer of 1992, Linton was appointed to Senior Engineer and was transferred to Austin, TX by IBM. In 1995, Systems Technology and Architecture Division of IBM appointed him with 5 others from Rochester and Austin as Senior Technical Staff Member. He was recognized "for his sustained technical accomplishments, professional leadership and significant contributions in the area of system and application analysis that drives optimal systems design structures." That award mentioned he had previously received 4 awards, written 5 articles and 6 internal reports. In 1998 he is also Program Manager as well as Sr. Technical Staff Member.

Linton married MICHELE ALICE STRUBLE who was born at Santa Monica, CA, 10 September 1951. She graduated from Sanderson High School at Raleigh in 1970 and Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA in 1975 with a B.S. in

architecture. Her father, Dr. R. A. STRUBLE was a professor of mathematics at North Carolina State University.

Notes for Chapter 15

1. Boston Globe. Cambridge *Chronicle*, dtd. 20 June 1894, listed Annie Bartlett playing piano.
2. MA VR [Marriage] 452:144 #859. Wedding stories *Cambridge Chronicle,* 30 Nov. 1895, *Boston Globe* 29 Nov. 1895.
3. Middlesex Co., MA [Deed] 3020:337.
4. ibid, 3039:84-85.
5. Ibid 3039, pp. 88-90 Deed of sale from Annie E. Ward, of Shirley, MA (also signed by her husband James W. Ward) to Mary E. Bartlett, of Shirley, dtd. 27 March 1903 and recorded 23 May 1903.
6. Ibid, 3913:44-45.
7. The *Portland Evening Courier*, Fri., 22 July 1898.
8. Orange Co., FL Plat Book G:11 and Deed Book 204: 215.
9. Deed Book 304:251, dtd. 1925; 399:306, dtd. 1929; Book 365.
10. Orange Co., FL., Gen. Index to Deeds, p. 50; Deed dtd. 20 Oct. 1925, p. 25.
11. FL VR [Death] File No. 41 879.
12. FL VR [Death] File 67 1084.
13. Turner, ME VR [Marriage].
14. *Eastern Shore News,* 14 Feb. 1957.
15. VA VR [Death].
16. VA VR [Death].

Table 1

Ward and Doane Births Recorded at Wellfleet, MA 1765-1842

VR Page	Born			
11	Jun 17 1766	Tillah,	dau. of Geo./Tillah Ward	
16	**Children of Hezekiah/Eliz. Doane**			
	June 25 1753?	Eliz.	Aug. 29 1767	William
	Feb. 20 1751	Hezekiah	July 20 1764	Joseph
	Oct. 11 1758	Paul	Aug. 13 1766	Marger
	Feb. 2 1761	Henry	June 26 1768?	Elisha
17	April 12 1773	John	child of Elisha Doane Esq/Anne	
42	**Children of Benj/Bethiah Ward**			
	March 3 1783	George	Oct. 25 1796	Bethia
	May 11 1794	Benj.	June 30 1799	Timothy
	Dec. 10 1785	Elkanah	July 4 1802	Polly
	June 17 1792	Zillah		
55	**Children of Joseph/ Martha Ward**			
	Oct. 7 1782	Joseph	Joseph d.	May 14 1812
	March 9 1780	Ruth	Sept. 21 1784	Thankful
	Jan. 8 1787	Barnabus		
64	**Children of Elisha/Thankful Ward**			
	March 7 1789	Exekiel	Oct. 20 1790	Joseph
	July 22 1787	Polly	May 30 1799	Ebenezer
	March 24 1787?	Hannah		
93	**Children of George/Tabitha Ward**			
	May 30 1807	Polly Atwood		
	Nov. 11 1809	George	Dec. 4 1811	Isaiah

Table 2

Marriages Recorded at Wellfleet and Provincetown

Page	Date	Name	Married
521	Dec. 12 1765	Lemuel Newcomb	Elizabeth Ward
523	Dec. 16 1768	George Ward	Mary Rich
523	Jan. 11 1770	John Ward	Hannah Wiley
531	May 8 1777	Lydia Ward	Reuben Arey
532	Dec. 26 1778	Elisha Ward	Thankful Smith
541	Dec. 23 1791	Martha Ward	Samuel Smith
551	Dec. 11 1800	Mary Ward	Peres Chapman Smith
558	Jan. 4 1807	Thankful Ward	Ruman Anthon
559	March 28 1808	Elknah Ward	Mary Stubbs
566	Oct. 8 1816	Zillah Ward	Simon Knowles Stubbs
568	Jan. 7 1818	Bethiah Ward	John Stubbs
570	Nov. 5 1820	Timothy Ward	Susanna Smith
576	Nov. 16 1824	Polly Ward	Abner Newcomb
576	Nov. 30 1824	Polly Ward	James Stubbs
576	Jan. 13 1825	Mary Ward	Thomas Smith
579	Sept. 9 1826	George Ward	Mary Smith

Table 3

Wards - Early Settlers in New England
Marblehead, MA Marriages, Deaths of Wards

quoted from *Vital Records of Marblehead, to the end of the year 1849*, vol. 2.

JOHN WARD married JEHOADAN HARVEY, both of Salem, 22 August 1689.
JOSHUA WARD, of Salem, married SARAH TREVET, 27 Sept. 1722.
JOSHUA WARD of Salem married LYDIA HAWKES, 21 Jan. 1744/5.
MARGARETT WARD married JOHN PITMAN, 14 June 1696.
SAMUEL C. WARD of Salem married MALVIN GLOVER, 27 Nov. 1844.
ANN WARD, SARAH died 23 Aug. 1685 (C.R.I.).
ANN WARD, daughter of SARAH WARD, bp. 19 July 1685 C.R.I.
HANNAH WARD, daughter of JOHN and ABIGAIL WARD, bp. 30 Nov. 1760 C.R.3
JOSHUA WARD, son of JOHN and ABIGAIL WARD, bp. 2 Oct. 1757 C.R.3. (*Vital Records of Marblehead, MA to the end of the year* 1849, vol.Births, 539; vol. 2-Births 1918; vol. 4 *Marriages of Vital Records of Salem, MA*, published by the Essex Institutes in 1924.)

First Settlers of New England

BENJAMIN WARD, Ship carpenter at Boston. Member of the church in 1640. Admitted freeman 1641.
HENRY WARD, a proprietor of Lancaster in 1654.
JAMES WARD, a graduate of H.C. 1645. Went to England; had fellowship at Maudin College, Oxford, received M.B.
JOHN WARD, Salem d. ca. 1656.
JOHN WARD Cambridge, now part of Newtown, 1689, married HANNAH JACKSON, had 8 sons, 5 daughters. Sons were: JOHN, born and died in 1654, JOHN 2rd, born 1659, WILLIAM born 1664, RICHARD born 1667 (who was representative and deacon) died 1739. EDWARD born 1672, ELEAZER BORN 1673, JONATHAN born 1674, JOSEPH born 1677. (The late COL. JOSEPH WARD, of Newtown, was grandson of Eleazar, and was Muster Master General and Acting Aid to Gen. Washington in the Revolutionary War).
OBADIAH WARD, Sudbury, 1654, Malborough, 1662, representative in 1689.
ROGER WARD, Massachusetts. Admitted freeman in 1637.
SAMUEL WARD, Sudbury, freeman 1637. Representative in 1637 and 1638.

THOMAS WARD, inhabitant of Hampton, came to N.E. early as 1630. Admitted freeman 1635.
(John Farmer, Samuel G. Drake, ed., *Genealogical Register of the First Families of New-England* [Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., 1979], pp. 303-304).

Among the early settlers of Newton, Massachusetts are listed Jackson, Fuller, **Ward**, Hyde, Park, Wiswall, Prentice and Towbridge. (Edith Bartlett Sumner, comp., *Descendants of Thos Farr & 90 Allied Families,* [Litho from compiler transcript Los Angeles: Typescript by Offset American Printers, 1959], p. 218).

Table 3 continued on next page

American Marriage Records Before 1696

ALICE WARD and NATHANIEL DOUGHERT, 14 Sept. 1679, Somerset Co., MD.
CHARITY WARD and JONATHAN ROSE, 5 Jan. 1669, Branford, CT.
ESTHER WARD (widow) and EBENEZER HAWLEY, 1678, Stratford, CT. ESTHER WARD and WILLIAM CORNWALL, 22 Jan. 1692, Middletown, CT. FRANCES WARD and THOMAS SHARMAN, 1 Nov. 1682, Burlington, NJ. ISRAEL WARD and HANNAH HUTSON, 29 Oct. 1697, NY.
JOHN WARD and MARY HARRIS, 18 April 1664, Middletown, CT. LUCY WARD and THOMAS MERRITT, 12 Sept. 1695, Boston, MA.
MARGARET WARD and JAMES HILDRETH, 1 June 1659, Chelmsford, MA.
MARIA WARD and JONATHAN BETTS, 4 Nov. 1662, Branford, CT.
MARTHA WARD and GEORGE CLEAREY, 26 Nov. 1648, Dedham, MA.
RICHARD WARD and MARY GUSTEEN, 22 Oct. 1697, Boston, MA.
SAMUEL WARD and MARIA CARTER, 1 Jan. 1658, Branford, CT.
SAMUEL WARD and MARY SALE, 10 Dec. 1691, Boston, MA.
SARAH WARD and HENRY GOULD, 30 Sept. 1675, Ipswich, MA.

Wards Taken from Passenger Lists

Comp. by Ed P. Williams Filby

ANDREW WARD to New England	1620-1650 (2 listed)
BENJAMIN WARD to Boston	1620-1650
ELIZABETH WARD ae. 38 to Boston	1635
GEORGE WARD to Boston	1637 (2 listed)
JOHN WARD to MA	1620-1650
LAWRENCE WARD to Boston	1637
NATHANIEL WARD to MA	1620-1650
NEHEMH WARD to Boston	1765
THOMAS WARD to MA	1620-1650
(see introduction about Thomas, a merchant adventurer)	
THOMAS WARD	1630

(Wards Listed in *A Second Report of the Record of Commissioners Containing the Boston Records, 1634-1660 Baptisms, Marriages and Deaths*, 1630-1699, [Boston: Rockwell, and Churchill, City Printers], 1883). This publication contains every record of births, deaths and marriages for the first seventy years in Boston. Original is now found in the office of City Registrar, and also contains records of every entry of baptism in First Church. Some years, however, were list i.e. 1675 and 1647-1650 are imperfect. Page numbers refer to this publication. Refer to City Document No. 130. Records are of town of Boston, except where otherwise noted:

p. 71 DEBORAH BURMAN, servant to BENJAMIN WARD, d. ll/12 Sept. 1659.
75 HANNAH WARD, dau. of ROBERT and SARAH WARD, b. 6 May 1660.

Children of SAMUEL and JOANNA WARD:
98 SAMUEL WARD, b. 16 Nov. 1665.
106 JOHN WARD, b. 27 Sept. 1667.
112 ELEAZER WARD, b. 17 Feb. 1669.
120 LYDIA WARD, b. 30 March 1671.
135 JOANNA WARD, b. 24 March 1674.

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130 THOMAS WARD, son of SAMUEL and HANNAH WARD, b. 25 June 1673.
177 MAUDLIN, son of ROBERT and LUCEY WARD (Negros) b. 9 Oct. 1687.
198 ROSE WARD, dau. of ROBERT and LUCEY WARD (Negros), b. 26 Oct. 1691.
199 SAMUEL WARD and MARY SALE married by Isa Addington Esq. assist. 12 Nov. 1691.
Children of Samuel and Mary Ward:
603 JOANNA WARD, b. 31 Oct.1692.
205 JOANNA WARD, bapt. 6 Nov. 1692, First Chur.
216 MARY WARD, b. 27 Nov. 1694.
228 SAMUEL WARD, b. 22 June 1696.
249 MARY WARD, b. 19 Nov. 1699.
252 MARY WARD, d. 29 Nov. 1699.
216 MAUDLIN WARD, dau. of ROBERT and LUCEY WARD.
220 MARY WARD, bapt. 25 Nov. 1694, First Chur.
231 SAMUEL WARD, bapt. 28 June 1695, First Chur.
236 RICHARD WARD and MARY GUSTEEN, m. by Mr. James Allen, 22 Oct. 1697.
237 SAMUEL WARD, son of Samuel Ward, d. 6 Sept. 1697.
242 MARY WARD, dau. of Richard and Mary Ward, b. 19 Sept. 1698.
253 MARY WARD, coopers dau. bap. 26 Nov. 1699, First Chur. (See Introduction about NATHAN and ENOCH WARD at Plymouth Colony).

George Wards born in England ca. 1680's To Which No Connections Have Yet Been Made to the George Ward of Eastham

A list of George Wards who were born in England and possible dates that the George Ward of Eastham, MA may have been born.[1]

1. GEORGE WARD, son of GEORGE WARD, christened 5 April 1681 at Dronfield, Derby County, Eng.
2. GEORGE WARD, son of WILL WARD, christened 24 Nov. 1689 at Killamarsh, Derby County, Eng.
3. GEORGE WARD, son of ROBERT WARD, christened 21 April 1684 at Killamarch, Derby County, Eng.
4. GEORGE WARD married 27 April 1679, HANAH FLAUELL?
5. GEORGE WARD married JANE WOODHOUS 9 June 1679 at Dronfield, Derby County, Eng.
6. GEORGE WARD, born 20 July 1686 at Guisborough, York County, Eng.
7. GEORGE WARD married MARY HETTERLY 5 June 1677 at Cossington, Leicestershire County, Eng.
8. GEORGE WARD, son of THOMAS and ELIZABETH, bpt. March 1683 (Copy not legible).
9. GEORGE WARD, son of JOHN and MARY WARD, bpt. 11 April 1650 (Location not mentioned).
10. GEORGE WARD, son of JOHN WARD, infant bpt. 25 Oct. 1689 at Henley, taken from Wooten Waewen Register.

Taken from The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints *International Genealogical Index (IGI)* held by the Family History Department, 35 North West Temple Street Sake Lake City, Utah 84150). Photocopies are held by the author.

Table 4

Wards Listed as Heads of Families in Maine - 1790 U.S. Census

Heads of Families	Free White Males 16 Upward	Free White Males Under 16	Free White Females Inc. Heads of Families	Residence
Nehemiah Ward	1	2	1	Brunswick Town (Cumberland Co.)
Elijah Ward	1		3	Falmouth Town (Cumberland Co.)
Joseph Ward	3		1	Gorham/Scarborough Towns (Cumberland)
John Ward	2	4	4	do
Nehemiah Ward	2	3	2	Harpsville Town (Cumberland Co.)
Benjamin Ward	1	1	3	Mount Desert Town (Hancock Co.)
Nathaniel Ward	1	1	1	Gering Town (Hancock Co.)
John Ward	2	1	3	Vassalborough Town (Lincoln Co.)
Samuel Ward	1		1	do
Nathaniel Ward	1		1	Arundel Town (York Co.)

Notes to Table 4

Maine was part of Massachusetts in 1790. Census takers had to use horseback, stage or coach using poor, frequently impassable roads and very few bridges. Inhabitants - from whom the information was taken - were suspicious that the census was a scheme to increase taxes so they were cautious that they did not reveal too much information. Objections were also made on religious grounds. The information was used officially to determine military and industrial strength of the country.[1] Of the 10 Ward families listed in this census, the John and Joseph Wards of Gorham/Scarborough Towns were of the families being researched here.

1790 Census of Maine Annotated Ed. Maine Genelogical Society spec. pub. no. 20, Feb 1995, vol. 17, no. 1, (Campden, ME: Picton Press), pp. 4-5, 11-12, 15, 19-20, 29-30, 47, 55.

Table 5

1810 and 1850 U.S.Census - Cumberland and Hancock Counties, Maine Listing Some Wards

1810[1] James Ward: 3 males to 10 Yrs, 2 males 26-44, 2 females to 10, 1 female 26-44.

1810 Census for Denham (Hancock Co.).
David Ward: 2 males to 10, 1 male 10 to 16, 1 male 16 to 45. 2 females to 16, 2 females 16 to 26, 1 female over 45. (Lincoln Plantation).
William Ward: 1 male to 10, 1 male 10 to 16. 2 females to 10, 2 females 10 to 26, 1 female over 45. (Lincoln Plantation).
Benjamin Ward: 1 male to 10, 2 males 10 to 16, 1 male over 45. 2 females to 10, 2 females 10 to 16, 1 female 10 to 26, 1 female over 45.
Benjamin Ward, Jr.: 1 male to 26, 1 female to 26. (Swan Tract).
John Ward: 1 male to 26, 1 female to 16. (Swan Tract).

1850[2] U.S.Census Standish,. (Cumberland Co.), ME. Lorenso Ward, ae. 23, laborer, b. Nova Scotia; William Ward, 30, farmer property value $800; Hannah Ward, ae. 63, b. ME; Amanda Ward, ae. 18, b. ME; Benjamin F. Ward, ae. 30, joiner, property value $100; also March, ae. 27, Charles N. ae. 6, Jesse N.ae. 2.

1850 U.S.Census, Sebago, (Cumberland Co.) ME. Amos Ward, ae. 28, laborer, value $100; also Lydia B., ae, 29, Pembroke, ae. 4 (m), Lenez E., ae 2, (f). Ichabod B.Ward, ae. 26, farmer, value $300; also Mary A., ae. 27; Henrietta H., ae. 3; Antenett M., ae. 7. George Ward, ae. 55, farmer value $1500; also Sarah, ae. 56; Frances W. (J.?), ae. 25 (m) farmer; Abram H.P.(?), ae. 10?; Abram J. ?, ae. 18; Thomas F., ae. 16.

Freedem Ward, ae. 32, farmer; also Mary J., ae. 25; Eliz, J., ae. 4 (f); Frances M. ae. 1 (f); David Ward, ae. 46, blacksmith; Harriet, ae. 45; David, Jr., ae. 19, laborer; William H., ae. 17; Harriet, ae. 15; Ledia A., ae. 13; Eben A. ae. 11; Loranzo, ae. 7; William Ward, ae. 51 (57?), farmer, value $700; also Mear, ae. 52; Horace, ae. 28; Ellen, ae. 15; Sarah, ae. 24; Kahum?, ae. 22; Chas., ae. 17, farmer; Caroline, ae. 5; William, Jr., ae. 2; Sherburne Ward, ae. 25, carpenter, value $150; also Sarah, ae. 22.

Notes for Table 5

1. National Archives, Washington, D.C. Film #11.
2. Ibid, Film # 249. See ch. 9 for information about these families.

Table 6

Vital Records of Wards in Maine State Archives at Augusta and County Courthouses at Gorham, Windham, Scarboro, Standish

Gorham Deaths

Date Born	Person	Parents	Place
22 Dec. 1816	Solomon Ward	Jesse/Hannah Ward	Gorham
16 Aug. 1818	Benj. Ward	Do	Gorham
12 Dec. 1822	Sarah Ward	Do	Gorham
15 Mar. 1823	Chas. Henry Ward	Daniel/Eunice Ward	Gorham
8 Aug. 1826	Abby E. Ward	?	Gorham
17 Mar. 1826	Simon H. Ward	Daniel Eunice Ward	Gorham
5 Feb. 1827	Jonathan E. Ward	Joseph/Harriet Ward	Gorham
8 Sept. 1829	Daniel D. Ward	Ezekiel/Elizabeth Ward	Gorham
14 Apr. 1832	Lucy A. Ward	?	?
1833	Roswell Ward	Joseph/Mahitable*Ward	
27 Dec. 1836	Abby J. Ward	?	Gorham
25 Aug. 1838	John H. Ward	?	Gorham
28 Mar. 1840	Charles M. Ward***		Gorham
Dec. 1844	William W. Ward***		Gorham
22 Jul. 1855	Clarence Elwood Ward	Daniel Ward	Gorham
17 Sept. 1866	Wilmer Herbert Ward		
	Wilson Moses Ward b. Windham res. in		Gorham

* "at foot of lake"

*** See Charles and William Ward's military histories in Appendice I. Cousins of Isaac Ward.

Gorham/Sebago Deaths

8 Jan. 1829	Jonathan E. Ward	Joseph/Harriet Ward
6 Sept. 1831	John Ward	Gorham
23 Jan. 1865	Chas. N. Ward	Standish
3 Dec. 1893	Girtie F. Ward	Amos/Maria Ward
5 Nov. 1896	Maria F. Ward	
26 Dec. 1898	George E. Ward	Standish
17 Apr. 1902	Francis W.J. Ward	
10 Dec. 1905	Alva Ward	
23 Jul. 1908	Albion King Paris Ward	
11 Oct. 1908	Nellie M. Ward	w/o George E. Ward
18 Mar. 1911	Amos Ward	Sebago
16 Apr. 1914	Thomas Jefferson Ward	

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Gorham Marriages

Date	Groom	Bride
Dec. 2 1810	Daniel Ward (Harlem)	Prussia Gifford (Fairfax)
Nov. 20 1811	Silas Ward (Gorham)	Rachel Wood (Gorham Rem. from Baldwin)
Jan. 12 1811	Ezekiel Ward(Gorham)	Elizabeth Walker (Gorham)

Vital Records of Wards at Gorham

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Vol.	Page	
2	45	Lucy Ward, m. Nathaniel Hicks, int. 12 Dec. 1812. Dau. of John Ward and granddau. of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward.
2	151	Lucy Ward, m. Israel H. Coats.
5	306	Lucy Ward, m. Israel H. Coats.
3	215	Lucy A. Ward, b. 19 April 1832.
3	462	Lucy A. Ward, d. age 25 years. (Poss. dau. of John and Mary (Gerrish) Ward and grandau. of Jesse and Hannah (Mitchell) Ward.
2	83	Martha Ward, m. Thomas Libby, Jr., int. 22 Sept. 1821. m. 20 Dec. 1821.
1	169	Mary Ward, m. William Hall, int. 14 July 1800. Dau. of John Ward and granddau. of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward.
2	93	Mary Ward, m. Lewis Brackett, int. 24 Jan. 1824.
2	147	Mary Ward, m. Lewis Brackett 26 Feb. 1824.
2	45	Mary Ward, int. m. William McQuillen 3 Oct. 1812.
2	187	Mary Ward, int. m. Miles Thompson 14 May 1831. Dau. of Ezekiel and Elizabeth (Walker) Ward and grandau. of John Ward.
3	215	Mary Ward, b. 3 April 1805.
3	462	Mary Ward, d. 1 April 1861.
6	79	Mary J. Ward, (of Sebago) int. m. John J. Cannel 8 May 1876.
1	164	Nathan Ward, m. int. Isabella Jordan; children, Simon b. 1802, Joseph b. 1800. (Nathan was son of Joseph Ward who was a prob. cousin of John Ward).
	265	Patty Ward, m. int. Samuel Brown, Jr. 10 May 1817.
2	187	Rebecca Ann Ward, m. Samuel Leavitt int. 29 May 1831. Dau. of Ezekiel and Elizabeth (Walker) Ward, granddau. of John Ward.
3	224	Roswell Ward, b. 1833. (Parents: Joseph & Mahitable Ward).
6	10	Roswell Ward m. Sarah Jane Warren, int. 12 Jan. 1861.
5	252	Roswell Ward m. Sarah Jane Warren 21 April 1861.
2	131	Sarah Ward b. 12 Dec. 1822. (Parents Jesse and Hannah Ward).
2	28	Silas Ward m. Rachel Wood int. 20 Nov. 1811, m. 22 Dec. 1811. Son of Daniel and Phebe (Jordon) Ward, poss. grandson of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward. Daniel, poss. cousin to Nathan and Joseph Ward, Jr.
4	65	Simon Ward, b. 17 Jan. 1802 (Son of Nathan and Isabella (Jordan) Ward and grandson of Joseph Ward.)
2	217	Simon H. Ward b. 17 March 1826 (Par. Daniel and Eunice Ward).

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2	131	Solomon Ward, b. 22 Dec. 1816 (Par. Jesse and Hannah Ward).
3	215	William W. Ward, b. Dec. 1844 d. 20 Oct. 1863. Par. Jesse and Hannah (Mitchell) Ward, grandpar.John Ward. William d. in Civil War; his military record is discussed in Appendix I.
1	44	Zillah Ward m. Nathan Parker int. 14 Feb. 1789,
1	146	Zillah Ward m. Nathan Parker 22 March 1789.
3	215	Abbey E. Ward b. 8 Aug. 1826.
3	462	Abbey E. Ward d. 14 mos.
	215	Abby J. Ward b. 27 Dec. 1828/38. 1 da. son of Jesse and Hannah Ward.
	462	Abby J. Ward d. 1 da.
5	131	Benjamin Ward b. 16 August 1818 (Par. Jesse and Hannah Ward).
5	25	Benjamin Ward m. Mary M. Higgins 25 June 1843.
2	217	Charles Henry Ward b. 15 March 1823 (par. Daniel and Eunice Ward).
3	215	Charles M. Ward b. 28 March 1840.
3	462	Charles M. Ward d. 10 May 1864.
3	236	Clarence Elwood Ward b. 22 Jul 1855 (Par. Daniel & Priscilla Ward).
6	88	Clarence Ward m. Ada B. Smith, of Portland int. 7 Feb. 1878.
1	36	Daniel Ward m. Phebe Jordan 11 Nov. 1783. Son of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward. Daniel Ward m. Priscilla, Children: Clarence E. (1855). Daniel Ward m. Eunice, Children: Charles Henry (1823),Simon H. (1823).
3	223	Daniel Ward b. 8 Sept. 1829. Son of Ezekiel and Elizabeth (Walker) Ward, grandson of John Ward.
5	79	Daniel D. Ward m. Frances P. Libby int. 28 Sept. 1854.Daniel son of Ezekiel and Eliabaeth (Walker) Ward grandson of John Ward.
5	78	Edmund A. Ward (of Freeport) m. Margaret E. Abbott, int. 5 Sept. 1854.
5	231	Edmund A. Ward m. Margaret E. Abbott 5 Sept. 1854.
3	215	Eliza J. Ward b. 12 Nov. 1829. Dau, of John Ward and Mary (Gerrish)Ward, granddau. of Jesse and Hannah (Mitchell) Ward.
3	462	Eliza J. Ward d. 28 yrs.
5	205	Esther Ward m. Nathan Wood 3 Ma 1838.
5	5	Esther Ward int. m. Nathan Wood 25 March 1838. Dau. of Ezekiel and Elizabeth (Walker) Ward, granddau. of John Ward.
2	31	Ezekiel Ward m. Elizabeth Walker 21 Feb. 1811. Son of John Ward, grandson of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward.
2	38	Ezekiel Ward int. m. Elizabeth Walker 12 Jan. 1811.Ch. Daniel D. (1829).
3	459	Ezekiel Ward d. 21 March 1857. Frances (Mrs.) Ward of Portland m. L.L Waterhouse, int. 30 April 1874.
1	35	Hannah Ward m. Simeon Sanborn, int. 16 Nov. 1782.
1	142	Hannah Ward m. Simeon Sanborn 9 Jan. 1783. Dau. of John Ward, granddau. of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward.
1	178	Hannah Lummus Ward b. 23 Oct. 1801. Dau. of Joseph and Hannah (Lummus) Ward, granddau. of Joseph Ward.
3	460	Hannah Ward d. 29 March 1859 ae. 83 yrs.
2	324	Harriot Ward (Mrs.) m. Daniel Parsons (col.) of Hartford.
5	306	Harriot Ward (Mrs.) int. 9 Feb. 1836, m. 1 March 1836.

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5	247	Isaac H. Ward (of Standish) m. Laura Jane Hanscom (of Standish) 25 Aug. 1858. Jesse Ward m. Hannah; Ch. Solomon (1816), Benjamin (1818), Sarah (1822).
6	58	Jesse Ward m. Fann Winn (of Sebago) int 24 Jul 1871.
3	458	Jesse Ward d. 23 May (poss. 1848) ae. 74 yrs.
3	215	John Ward b. 8 Jan. 1801.
2	171	John Ward, Jr. m. Mary Gerrish int. 4 Oct. 1826. Son of Jesse and Hannah (Mitchell) Ward and grandson of John Ward.
5	272	John Ward, Jr. m. Mary Gerrish 19 Nov. 1826.
2	242	John Ward d. 6 Sept. 1831. Son of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward, grandson of George and Rebecca (Newcomb) Ward.
3	215	John N. Ward b. 25 August 1838.
5	252	John Ward m. Eleanor Webb (Mrs.) 22 Dec. 1861.
6	13	John Ward int. m. Eleanor Webb (Mrs.) 11 Dec. 1861.
6	15	John H. Ward m. Mary S. Russell (of Gray), int. 17 June 1862.
6	45	John Ward m. Sarah Ann Gill, int. 26 Aug. 1869.
1	133	Jonathan Ward m. Sally Hall, int. 14 Dec. 1793. Son of John Ward, grandson of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward.
2	139	Jonathan Ward b.Feb. 1827 Son of Joseph and Harriet (Emery) Ward.
2	234	Jonathan Ward d. 8 Jan. 1829, b 1827. Par. Joseph Ward and Harriet Emery.
1	169	Joseph Ward, Jr. m. Hannah 12 July 1800. Ch. Lummus (1801).
4	65	Joseph Ward b. 3 Jan.1800.
1	107	(Par. of Joseph Ward Nathan Ward and Isabella Jordan). Joseph Ward m. Mahitable Nason. Ch. Rosewell (1833).
2	89	Joseph Ward m. Harriet Emery, int. 28 March 1823, Ch. Jonathan (1827).
3	215	Lewis B. Ward b. 20 Jan. 1835.
3	462	Lewis B. Ward d. at 18 yrs. Son of John and Mary (Gerrish) Ward, grandson of Jesse and Hannah Ward.

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	Births		**Deaths**
Vol.		**Vol.**	
2	Roland Ward b. 1893	A-6 1	Carol A. Ward d. 1892
5	Mary E. Ward b. 1896	6	Mablel Ward d. 1897
18	Lorena L. Ward b. 1908	8	
			Mrs. Angle Ward d. 1898
	Helen Ward b. 1915	11	Ichabod B. Ward d. 1900

	Births		**Deaths**
Vol.		**Vol.**	
		12	Cyrus H. Ward d. 1901
A-l 11	Estella Ward b. 1860	15	Mary A. Ward d. 1903
7	Mabel b. 1898	30	Ella L. Ward d. 1916
A-7 21	Edith M.Ward b. 1911	A-4 57	Elbridge Ward d. 1890
A-7 26	Helen R.Ward b. 1915	A-10 183	Wilma Ward d. 1922

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Marriages

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	22	Wilmer W. Ward	m. 1901
	28	Herbert W. Ward	m. 1923
	38	Leon H. Ward	m. 1907
	43	Winnifred J. Ward	m. 1909
A-4	151	Annie W. Ward	m. 1887
A-4	155	Frank W. Ward	m. 1888
A-4	157	Addie Ward	m. 1889
	158	Frank A. Ward	m. 1889
	158	Herbert W. Ward	m. 1889
A-3	7	Elbridge G. Ward	m. 1884
A-3	25	Elizabeth Ward	m. 1852
A-3a	62,63	Henrietta A. Ward	m. 1864
A-3	84	Wilson M. Ward	m. 1865 or 98
A-3	144	Wilson M. Ward	m. 1881
A-3	149	Elmer L. Ward	m. 1880
A-10	74	Murland Ward	m. 1923

List of Wards in Vital Records Windham, 1762-1841

Copied by Joseph P. Thompson ca. 1900.

Cyrus K. Ward of Baldwin and Mrs. Susan J. Walker of Windham m. 28 Sept. 1880.
Elbridge G. Ward and Eunice B. Hunt m. 9 Nov. 1844.
(Copied later as m. 4 Nov. 1844 b. John Eveleth?, J. P.)
Elmer L. Ward and Lillian M. Foster m. 15 Nov. 1880.
(Copied later as m. 24 Nov. 1880 by Rev. Luther Wisewall)
Herbert W. Ward and Blanche Gillegguier m. 6 Aug. 1889.
(Copied later as m. 17 Aug. 1889 by Elder F. W. Blackmer).
Ichabod B. Ward of Windham and Mary Ann Ward of Sebago m. 25 Oct. 1845.
Jacob Ward and Susan Baker m. 11 Jan. 1823.
(Copied later as m. 6 Feb. 1823 by Isaac Stevens, J. P.)
Jacob Ward and Lucy Allen m. 15 June 1852.
John Ward of Gorham and Mary Gerrish of Windham m. 14 Oct. 1826.
(Copied later as m. March 29 1827 by Daniel Hall, J.P.)
Josiah B. Ward of Windham and Rosella Shed of Otisfield m. 5 March 1858.
Thomas J. Ward and E. Claire? Hawkes m. 15 April 1863.
William F. Ward of Bowdwin and Cynthia J. Varne of Windham m. 16 June 1861.
Wilson M. Ward and Lena K.? Rogers m. 30 Oct. 1865.
(Copied later as m. 5 Nov. 1865 by Thomas L. Smith, J.P.)
Wilson M. Ward and Mrs. Ella L. Gray m. 26 Jan. 1881.
(Copied later as m. 6 Feb. 1881 by Z.T. Wheeler, of Gorham).
Elbridge G. Ward, son of Jacob Ward d. 1890 aged 66 years.
Frank W. Ward m. Annie M. Turner, both of Gorham, 8 Sept. 1888.
Jesse Ward m. Hannah Mitchell 28 Feb. 1797 by Paul Little, J. P.

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Burial Records of Wards at Arlington Cemetery, Sec. 6 at North Gorham, Maine

Custody of Windham Historical Society

ANGELIA M. WARD, wife of DANA B. WARD, d. 11 Sept. 1897, ae. 47 yrs., 2 mos.
CHARLES MAY WARD, D. 11 Sept. 1853, ae. 1 yr., 6 mos., 21 dys, son of Ichabod B. and Mary A. Ward.
DANA B. WARD. d. 12 Feb. 1869, ae. 21 yrs., 9 mos., husband of Angelia.
ELBRIDGE G. WARD, d. 6 Jan. 1890, ae. 66 yrs., 8 mos., 24 dys.
ELIZABETH M. WARD, b. 1910.
ELLA L. YATES, b. 1851, d. 1913, wife of Wilson M. Ward.
ETHEL N. WARD, b. at Portland 1886, d. at Falmouth 2 June 1979, ae. 93. dau. of Robert W. and Annie M. Nixon. Res. at Roosevelt Trail, husband was LEON H. WARD, prev. desc, (obit).
EUNICE M. Ward, d. 14 July 1885., ae. 57 yrs., 2 mos., 26 dys., wife of Elbridge Ward.
HENRY BEECHER WARD, d. 4 Nov. 1859. ae. 11 mos., 25 dys., son of Ichabod B. and Mary A. Ward.
HERBERT W. WARD, b. 1866, d. 1936.
ICHABOD B. WARD, b. 1824, d. 1900.
IZETTA WARD, b. 1904, d. 1986.
LENA H. ROGERS, b. 1847, d. 1877, wife of Wilson M. Ward.
LENA R. WARD, b. 1907, d. 1984.
LEON HALL WARD, b. 1877, D. 1954.
LORENZO W. WARD, b. 1902, d. 1960. I.O.O.F.
MABLE F. WARD, b. 1869, d. 1878, dau. of Wilson M. and Lena H. Ward.
MARION JORDAN WARD, b. 1880, d. 1954, wife of Herbert W. Ward.
MARY A. WARD, b. at Scarboro 30 Nov. 1823, d. at Brighton 21 Dec. 1903, wife of Ichabod B. Ward.
WILSON M. WARD, b. 1845, d. 1929.

List of Wards in Vital Records at Scarboro

Records of town meeting of Scarboro, Maine 1781-1816

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324	Mary Ward of Scarboro and William M. Quillen of Gorham
334	m. Oct. 22, 1812 by Rev. Nathan Tilton.
331	George Ward m. 31 Aug. 1816 of Osapee Gore and Elizabeth Libby of Osapee.

Births, Deaths, Marriages Recorded at Scarboro 1817-1879

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9	George Ward b. Sept. 27th 1794.
	Elizabeth his wife July 3rd, 1797; d. 28 March 1824.
	Freedom, son of George Ward & Eliz. his wife b. 18 Oct. 1817.
	Mary Jones Ward b. 12 March 1819.
	William Ward b. 17 Aug. 1820.

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Amos Ward b. 17 July 1822.
Mary Ann b. 30 Nov. 1823.
Mary Jane d. 15 April 1821.

174 Marriage in 2rd Parish Scarboro, Mr.George Ward (Ossipeegore) Miss Elizabeth Libby 29 Sept. 1816.

203 George Ward and Sarah m. July 12, 1824.

228 William McKenn of Scarboro & Delia Ward of W.B. m. 1 March 1839.

31 Horace, son of William Ward and Mary his wife b. 24 Nov. 1821.
Sherbin b. 10 Aug. 1824.

180 William Ward and Mary Libby m. 18 Feb. 1821.

197 The intention of marriage between William Ward and Mary Libby both of Scarboro were entered 20 Jan. 1821.

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373 Lorenzo D.Ward m. Clarrish Bean 9 Sept. 1850, both of Standish.

413 John Ward m. Hannah Mitchell both of Standish 17 Nov. 1796.

419 William Hall (Standish) m. Mary Ward of Gorham 12 July 1800.

379 John P. Moulton m. Sarah G. Ward, both of Standish 23 Dec. 1855.

447 Joseph W. m. Mehitable Nason, both of Standish 9 Jan. 1831.

448 Miles Thompson of Standish m. Mary Ward of Gorham 14 May 1831.

448 Samuel Ward of Standish m. Rebecca A. Ward of Gorham 29 May 1831.

489 Benj. Ward m. Mary M. Higgins 20 June 1843; 6 July 1843.

529 Jonathan Ward & Sarah Hall m. 3 Feb. 1794.

Table 7
Wards From Maine Who Served in the Civil War and Units in Which They Served[1]

2rd. Bat. Mounted Art. James Ward

Reg.	Co.	
1	D*	John C. Ward, Cpl.
1	D*	Alpheus H. Ward, Cpl.
1	D*	George W. Ward
1	K**	John T. Ward
	2 D	Silas E. Ward, U.S. Sharpshooter
2	G	Ariel Ward, 2rd, Musician
2	H**	Loren O. Ward
2	I	William H. Ward, Jr.
3	H	Francis P. Ward
4	I	John Ward
5	A	Charles M. Ward, Pvt., Cpl.*
5	E	Thomas Ward, Thomas Jefferson Ward, son
5	E	John H. Ward
6	D	Abraham Ward, George
6	F	Amos Ward
7	A	Joseph Ward
9	I	Daniel Ward
10	D	David Ward
10	E	William H. Ward
11	K	Watson Ward
12	G	Almon Guy Ward, Serg.
15	E	Benjamin Ward
5	F	Benjamin Ward
15	F	Albion Ward, George and Elizabeth
15	F	Joel Ward
15	F	George Ward
15	G	William H. Ward, son of John Ward and grandson of Jesse
16	E	George W. Ward
16	F	William W. Ward*
19	B	Benjamin F. Ward
19	F	George Ward
2	B	Aaron T. Ward
20	G	Zachariah H. Ward
22	A	John S. Ward, Corp.
22	E	Aurelus F. Ward
24	A	Charles Ward
24	D	Leonard Ward
24	F	Joseph B. Ward
24	G	Albert R. Ward
24	G	Wilbur N. Ward
24	H	Sumner C. Ward
24	I	William S. Ward
25	D	Isaac Ward
25	F	Isaac Ward
25	G	Albert Ward
25	G	Harrison Ward
25	G	Henry Ward
25	G	Joseph O. Ward
25	G	Albion Ward, Cpl.
25	K	Eben Ward
25	K	David Ward
	C	Josiah B. Ward
U.S.Navy		Freeman C. Ward (cock's)
U.S.Navy		Charles Ward
U.S.Navy		Edward Ward
U.S.Navy		George W. Ward
U.S.Navy		John Ward
U.S.Navy		Reuben D. Ward
U.S.Navy		Uriah E. Ward

* Cavalry

** Heavy Art.

Records of service of a few are discussed below.

1. Lists taken from *Supplement to the Annual Report of the Adjutant General of the State of Maine for Years 1861, 62, 63, 64, 65 and 1866, (Augusta: Stevens & Saward, Printers to the State, 1867), pp, 526-527, 612-613, 1168-1169.*

Table 8

Wards Found at Thorndike (Lincoln Plantation), Maine, Whose Families Have Yet To Be Identified with Wards of Gorham

(VR references are to Thorndike Vital Records)

A. B. Ward, ae. 19, eligible for enrollment 1909, 1917. (VR 2:191, 195).

Addie Ward, of Thorndike, and Warren Parsons, of Burnham, int. 24 Dec. 1877. (VR. 2:141).

Alexina C. Ward, of Thorndike int. 30 Jan. 1865 Edward White, of Jackson, a farmer. (VR 2: 127).

Annie B. Ward b. 9 Nov. 1854, d. 17 Dec. 1910, wife of Elden Ward. (g.s.).

Annie Maxim Ward, wife of Everett H. Ward (see below).

Benjamin F. Ward b. at Thorndike 12 July 1836, d. 27 Oct. 1887; m. Lydia E. Blethen b. at Thorndike 23 Sept. 1846, d. 10 Jan. 1906 ae. 59 yrs., 3 mos., 17 dys. Ch. all b. at Thorndike were: Lincoln G., b. 19 Nov. 1867; Lenor J., b. 8 July 1869; Ulysses A., b. 10 Sept. 1870; Sydney W, b. 16 March 1872; Sarah L., b. 25 Nov. 1873; Benjamin J., b. 8 Oct. 1874, d. 18 Nov. 1874; Addie N.M., b. 7 Dec. 1876. (VR 2:69). He was in Co. B. 19th ME Regt. (g.s.). (See app. L for his Civil War Military Pension papers info.)

Betsy Ward, of Thorndike, m. Sewall Davidson, of Monroe, entered 15 Feb.1845 (VR 2:91).

Betsy Ellen Ward int. Lieut. S. Everett Hunt, both of Thorndike, entered 16 July 1866 (VR 2:130).

C. M. Ward, ae. 23, eligible for enrollment 1917 (VR 2:195).

Charles L. Ward, ae. 18, exempt as minor from enrollment in Thorndike in 1887 (VR 2:166).

Daniel Ward, m. Nancy R. Vickery, both of Thorndike 25 Dec. 1844 by Peter Moulton, J.P. (VR 2:77)

David Ward, of Thorndike, m. Catherine Porter, of Prospect, entered 25 Sept. 1839 (VR 2:101). 1850 U.S.Census for Thorndike lists David, ae. 30, laborer; Nancy R., ae. 22; Hermon T., ae. 5; Labranuz?, ae. 2.

David Ward, ae. 67, farmer, prop. value $800; Catherine, ae. 50; John, ae. 21; Alice E., ae. 10; Alenia, ae. 3; Lucy, ae. 35 (Thorndike Census 1850, p. 5).

Elden A. Ward b. 8 Oct. 1854, d. 11 Jan. 1937; m. Annie B. b. 9 Nov. 1854, d. 17 Dec. 1910. (g.s.). Eligible for enrollment at Thorndike in 1891 (VR 2 171).

Everett E. Ward, ae. 18, farmer, appeared to be eligible for enrollment in 1899 (VR 2:179).

Everett H. Ward, b. 29 Aug. 1872; m. Annie Maxim b. 24 Feb. 1860, d. 10 Feb. 1927 (g.s.). Eligible for enrollment at Thorndike 1891 (VR 2:171).

Frank Ward, ae. 26, farmer, eligible for enrollment in 1899 (VR 2:179).

Franklin Ward, ae 27, farmer, eligible for enrollment for military duty at Thorndike in 1887 (VR 2:166).

Fred Ward, farmer, eligible for enrollment at Thorndike in 1891 (VR 2:171).

Fred G. Ward, ae. 19, eligible for enrollment in 1901, 1903 (VR 2:182, 187).

G. R. Ward, ae. 18, appeared to be eligible for enrollment in 1903 (VR 2:188).

George E. Ward, b. 12 Dec. 1863, d. 6 Sept. 1871; m. Marcia L. b. 1852, d. 1943 (g.s.).

George F. Ward, ae. 26, farmer, eligible for enrollment in 1895 (VR 2:174).

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H.R. Ward. ae. 29, disabled ineligible for enrollment 1917 (VR 2:195).

Hannah J. Ward b. 24 Jan. 1838; m. at Jackson 4 Dec. 1858 Clifton S. Hunt by Rev. John Hamilton. Ch. Ezra Manter Hunt b. 22 Nov., 1859; Willie Elmer Hunt, b. 27 March 1863; Milton Ever__ b. 29 April 1866 (VR 2:68).

Herbert E. Ward, b. 24 May 1887, d. 1857; m. Addie N., b. 7 Dec. 1877, d. 7 Sept. 1915 (g.s.).

Hezzie E. Ward listed as Assessor for Town of Thorndike as one who selected persons eligible for enrollment (VR 2:195).

Horace Ward, ae. 22, listed as eligible for military duty in 1883, 1891, 1893, 1897, 1899, 1901 enrollment at Thorndike (VR 2:160, 171, 177, 179). Prob. Horace V. Ward, b.1860, d.1937; m. Mary A. Cran, b.1863, d. 1921. Her dau. Blanche E. b. 1883, d. 1922 (g.s.).

J.L.Ward, ae. 40, farmer, eligible for enrollment in 1895 (VR 2:174).

James Ward, of Knox, int. Sarah E. Dolloff, of Thorndike 18 April 1865 (VR 2: 128).

John Ward, of Thorndike int. Salome Merrick, of Troy entered 9 Feb. 1861 (VR 2: 122). John b. May 1829, d. 17 April 1906; m. Salome M. b. 27 Feb. 1839, d. 23 Jan. 1913, Ch. Annie B. b. 22 April 1862, d. 11 Sept. 1864; Dennis E. b. 22 May 1866, d. 27 May 1865; Alice F. b. 22 May 1865, d. 27 May 1865; Alice F. b. 22 May 1865, d. 28 May 1865. (g.s.) Also Everett H. Ward b. 29 Aug. 1872.

John M. Ward, b. 1870, d. 1939, husband of Rena F. b. 1876 (g.s.). Listed ae. 28, section hand, in 1899 enrollment (VR 2:179), eligible in 1903, 1909 (VR 2:187, 191).

John Ward listed as minor, farmer in 1891 enrollment (VR 2: 171).

Josiah Ward, of Thorndike; m. Sarah Ann A. Fowler, of Unity, on 16 May 1841 by Alden Blethen, J.P. (VR 2: 75, 102).

L. G. Ward, ae. 27, farmer, eligible for enrollment in 1895 (VR 2:74).

L. U. Ward, eligible for enrollment in 1893 (VR 2:173).

Lawrence Ward, ae. 25, eligible for enrollment in 1917 (VR 2:195).

Leslie A. Ward, minor, not eligible for enrollment in military at Thorndike in 1889 (VR 2:168).

Lincoln G. Ward, ae. 18, listed as eligible for military duty in enrollment at Thorndike in 1883, 1889, 1891 (VR 2:163, 168, 171).

Lizzie M. Ward, ae. 21/24?, of Thorndike, and John W. Ames, ae. 24, of Jackson, int. 26 Aug. 1873; m. 28 Sept. 1873 at Jackson by J.N.Cook, J.P. (VR 2: 137).

M. T. Ward, ae. 40, eligible for enrollment 1917 (VR 2:195).

Manley C. Ward, b. 1894, d. 1921 son of Elden and Annie Ward (g.s.). Mary Ward, of Thorndike; m. Shepherd Giles April 1829, m. by Charles Warren, minister (Thorndike VR 2:22).

Mary E. Ward, wife of Ashley Ward, d. 19 Dec. 1902 ae. 59 yrs. (g.s.).

Mary L. Ward, of Thorndike and James Morse, of Searsmont, ME int. 1 Dec. 1873 (VR 2:137).

Nathan Ward, ae. 20, eligible for enrollment 1917 (VR 2:195).

Nathan Ward and Mrs. Louise Bagley, both of Thorndike, int. 21 Jan. 1875 (VR 2: 139).

Rosco Ward, farmer, listed as minor in enrollment at Thorndike 1891 (VR 2:171).

Rose C. Ward, ae. 22, and Alonzo Coffin, ae. 32, both of Thorndike, int. 29 July 1873 (VR 2:137).

Ross C. Ward, eligible for enrollment in 1893 (VR 2:173).

Sydney Ward, farmer, listed as minor in enrollment at Thorndike 1891 (VR 2:171).

Thomas Ward, ae. 25, farmer, eligible for enrollment in 1899 (VR 2:179).

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U. A. Ward, farmer, eligible for 1893, ae. 28 for 1899 enrollment, 1903 (VR 2: 173, 179, 188).

U. G. Ward, ae. 22, farmer, eligible for enrollment in 1895 (VR 2:174).

Verna Ward, dau. of William Ward and Jennie Patterson, b. at Thorndike 18 July 1889. Aff. by Mrs. Jessie Hogan and Lena E. Higgins, both of Belfast (VR 2:155).

W.A. Ward, listed as minor and farmer in 1891 enrollment (VR 2:171).

William Ward, ae. 26, farmer, eligible for enrollment at Thorndike military in 1887 (VR 2:166).

William Ward, and Jennie B. Patterson, both of Thorndike; m. 25 Dec. 1886 at Thorndike by Rev. E. E. Ware (VR 2:149). (See Verna Ward, dau.).

Wilmot Ward, b. at Thorndike 3 April 1886, son of William and Jennie Patterson Ward, aff. by Jessie Patterson Hogan, of Morrill, ME and Lena Patterson Higgins, of Belfast (VR 2:155).

Winn Ward, ae. 26, laborer, eligible for enrollment 1917 (VR 2:195).

APPENDIX A

The Newcomb Family

CAPT. ANDREW NEWCOMB emigrated from "the west of England," possibly Devonshire or Wales about 1618, and likely was one of the earliest settlers in New England. The first mention of him is at Boston in 1663. He resided there after 1686 and died there between 7 March 1703/4 and 22 October 1708. Capt. Newcomb married second, GRACE, widow of WILLIAM RIX (or RICKS).

He was at this time a mariner or sea captain. Records show he was master of several ships, including *Virginia*, *Sloope Edmund and Martha* and *Saco River*. Records show him sailing from Virginia and New York.[1] He was Master of *Sloope Edmund and Martha* 28 August 1679. This sloop was berthed in port of New York and was bound for Boston. Part of the laden was tobacco from Virginia. Suffolk County files in Boston recorded Andrew Newcomb with his vessel, *Saco River*, from Boston, October 1684.

His will, dated 31 January 1682, mentioned his house in Boston.[2] Capt. Newcomb is described as a man of education having great nautical skill, being a man of enterprise, a peaceable citizen, a good husband and father.

Children of Capt. Andrew Newcomb and his first wife (unknown):

1. i. ANDREW, LIEUT., b. ca. 1640, d. at Martha's Vineyard, 1703/08; m. 1st SARAH___; m. 2nd ANNA BAYES.

ii. SUSANNAH, b. bet. 1635/1650; m. PHILIP BLAGUE, Boston. One of their 3 children was CAPT. NEWCOMB BLAGUE, a commander and part owner of ships. He engaged in foreign trade and was a good property owner at Boston.

iii. GRACE, b. 20 Oct. 1664, in Boston (dau. of 2nd wife, Grace), m. (1st), JAMES BUTLER, son of STEPHEN and JANE BUTLER, of Boston; m. (2nd), ANDREW RANKIN, of Boston.

1. LIEUT. ANDREW NEWCOMB, son of Capt. Andrew Newcomb, was constable in the Isles of Shoals in 1671. These are nine islands located off the southern coast of Maine and Portsmouth, NH - the sight of the very first settlements in America. Their reefs appear on early charts for safe navigation. By 1620, a major cod fishing industry had been established here. The climate allowed the large cod to be cured, or "saved," with the use of very little salt. Dunfish, or winter fish, were dried and brought high prices by Spaniards and other Mediterranean people, especially during Lent. The Isles of Shoals also became a popular summer resort in later years.[3]

In July 1666, Lieut. Andrew Newcomb was on the Isles of Shoals with several merchants engaged in the fishing business for the purpose of fixing the price of fish.

Andrew Newcomb removed in 1675 from the fishing area of Isle of Shoals and settled at Edgartown on the Island of Martha's Vineyard (Dukes County), MA, where he died aged about 68 years. He was one of the proprietors of Edgartown and received shares of divisions of lands there. He purchased from JOHN DAGGETT 13 February 1677, 10 acres of land for 25 pounds.

In Edgartown he was active in many civic duties such as: Juror at quarter court, 25 September 1677 and 28 December 1680; Jury foreman September 1681; Constable 1681; Foreman Grand Jury, 7 March 1703-4; Townsman, 10 May 1693-4; Selected Lieutenant, 13 April 1691 and appointed command of fortification.

Andrew was a merchant. It is noted he paid Nathaniel Fryer 15 February 1683 in feathers. Among the children by his first wife, SARAH___, was SIMEON NEWCOMB, born about 1662. He resided in the northern part of Eastham, now Truro, Cape Cod, MA. He was chosen fence viewer in 1702 and in 1711 he was one of the proprietors of Truro, of 6 acres in 3 lots. His name with his sons SIMON and ANDREW was on the petition of the inhabitants of Billingsgate.

Children of Simeon and _____, surname Newcomb:

i. JOANNA; m. 30 March 1703, EBENEZER SAVAGE.
ii. SIMEON (SIMON); m. HANNAH CARTER.
iii. ANDREW; m. MERCY OLDHAM.
iv. DEBORAH; m. 7 March 1710/11, JONATHAN YOUNG. She was admitted to chur. at Sandwich, 1 April 1706.
v. REBECCA; m. 26 March 1711, GEORGE WARD, ancestors of the Ward families who rem. to ME. Her great grandfather was Capt. Andrew Newcomb. (See Ch. 2).
vi. JOHN; m. at Salem, MA, 1720. A sea captain. He was constable in 1720, was granted juror 1721; had a dau. MARGARET, who m. JAMES BURWELL.
vii. ELIZABETH; m. 10 April 1718, CHARLES PAINE, d. 1779.

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1. The Charleston, MA Records, p. 281. Capt. Andrew Newcomb sailed from Virginia and New York with cattle and horses, February 1666/67, 1679 and 1684 by John Page, of Boston in Ketch___. He also was master of Virginia for account of John Ely and Eliakim Hutchinson shipping tobacco from Virginia.

2. Suffolk, MA Probate, 11:48. Will is reprinted by John Bearse Newcomb, *Genealogical Memoir of the NEWCOMB FAMILY Containing records of Nearly Every Person of the Name in America from 1635 to 1874* (Elgin, Ill.: Knight & Leonard, 1874), pp. 10-11, and further discussion of the family, pp .1-22.

3. John D. Bardwell, *The Isles of Shoals A Visual History*, Pub. 14, (Peter E. Randall, publisher for The Portsmouth Marine Society), pp. 1, 3-4.

APPENDIX B

The Treat Family

JOSEPH WARD, son of George and Rebecca (Newcomb) Ward married Mary Treat. (See Chapter 5).

The Treat family can be traced to Somerset, England to 1450. RICHARD[1] TREAT was born 1584 in Pitminster (Somerset), England and married 27 April 1615, ALICE GAYLORD. He was one of the first settlers in Wethersfield, CT having arrived in the new country in 1637/38. He was probably a deputy in Wethersfield as early as 1637. Mr. Richard Treat was of high social standing which was signified by the prefix "Mr." or "Master." He was chosen juror 15 June 1643. This was a high position occupied only by the most prominent persons. He was chosen deputy in 1644 and elected eight times as assistant.

Richard Treat was a son of ROBERT and HONORA (HONOUR) TROTT, and grandson of RICHARD and JOANNA TROTT, all of Pitminster. The family used the names of Trott, Trett, Tratt, Treate and Treat. Cemetery grave stone inscriptions spell the of names of Anna and Mulford as Treet. They were children of Samuel and Sarah (Rich) Treat.

The General Court of Connecticut applied to Charles II for a charter, 14 March 1660/61 having made a formal avowal of allegiance to the crown. The charter, including New Haven Colony, was granted via Governor Winthrop, the colony's agent.

Richard and two of his sons-in-law were among 19 patentees or charter members to whom Charles II sent the famous charter that was secured by the General Court in 1662. This was a liberal charter which gave the colonists right to govern themselves, being independent in all but name. Richard was of high character and considerable wealth. His lands were of 900 to 1,500 acres now the town of Glastonbury, CT. He died between 11 October 1669 and 3 March 1670.

The 10 children of Richard and Alice (Gaylord) Treat born and baptized at Pitminster, England. Their sons:

1. i. RICHARD[2] TREAT, b. 1622; m. SARAH COLEMAN.

2. ii. ROBERT[2] TREAT, b. ca. 1624; m. (1st) JANE TAPP.

iii. JAMES TREAT, b. 1634, d. 12 Feb. 1709; m. 26 Jan. 1665, REBECCA LATTIMER, d. 2 April 1734. She was a church member and dau. of JOHN LATTIMER, one of the first settlers of Wethersfield. Bapt. in Pitsminster, England, 20 July 1634. James was made a freeman in Wethersfield, MA, 21 May 1667. He d. 12 Feb. 1709, ae. seventy five. James' grandson, CHARLES TREAT, fought in the battle of Bunker Hill, and was promoted to sergeant in 1778 and received pay of Captain in 1781. RAYMOND C. TREAT, a

descendant of James Treat, resided in Blue Springs, MO in 1991. He was a fourth generation cranberry grower. Raymond became an archaeologist specializing in southern Mexico and Guatemala. His daughter, MYA LYNN resided at Virginia Beach, VA in 1991.

1. RICHARD[2] TREAT was born 9 January 1622/23 at Pitminster (Somerset), England and died about 1693 in Wethersfield, CT. His wife, SARAH COLEMAN, was the daughter of Thomas Coleman who was one of the first settlers at Wethersfield. She died 23 August 1734 aged ninety two. Richard, the oldest son of Richard Treat, inherited the 900-acre farm known as the "Treat Farm" in Glastonbury, CT.

Children of Richard and Sarah (Coleman), surname Treat, all b. at Wethersfield, CT;

i. RICHARD[3], b. 14 Feb. 1662.

ii. SARAH, b. 8 June 1664, d. 26 Jan. 1711/12; m. 20 May 1684, EPHRIAM GOODRICH.

iii. MARY, b. 8 Oct. 1666, d. ae. 81, Jan. 1748; m. 10 Dec. 1684, THOMAS CHESTER.

iv. LT. THOMAS, b. 12 Dec. 1668, d. 17 Jan. 1712/13; m. 5 July 1693, DOROTHY BULKEY, b. ca. 1662, d. ca. 1757. Thomas was a partitioner of the incorporation of Wethersfield 13 Feb. 1690/91, assisted in formation of the first church there. In 1711 he was appointed Lt. in the Train Band. He served as deputy in the General Court in 1703, 1706, 1707 and 1712. In 1710/11 the Governor and Council passed a resolution that he be paid 30 shillings for his extraordinary labor and science as interpreter in managing the Indians while serving in the expedition to Wood Creek.

2. ROBERT[2] TREAT was born at Pitminster England about 1624. He left his father in Wethersfield and is found in Milford in 1639. For about 27 years, he was very active in the town and colony. At the age of less than 16, he was one of nine appointed to survey and layout new lands purchased of the Indians at Milford in 1639. Milford united with the New Haven Colony for greater protection against the Indians and the Dutch.

He married JANE TAPP who was born about 1628 and died in October 1703 aged 75. They were admitted to the church at Milford April 19, 1649. Robert was a representative in the General Court of New Haven Colony, a military chief officer, and a deputy for six years. He was opposed to the absorption of New haven Colony with the Connecticut Colony. The union of these colonies was very offensive to many since they feared they might lose some of their civil and religious liberties.

In 1666, Robert Treat led a group, including his son Samuel, which founded Newark, NJ and there became magistrate, recorder and deputy to Assembly of East Jersey. This was Puritan territory. Newark was solidly Presbyterian until the Episcopal Church was established there in 1733. During the revolution, Presbyterians backed the war, the Episcopalians opposed it.

Robert Treat returned to Milford in 1672 and resumed his military duties being promoted to major of the local Train Band. He became commander-in-chief of the Connecticut troops, then second in command of the United Colonies during King Philip's War, and ridded Northfield and Springfield of Indians. He was lieutenant governor during 1676 and 1682. In 1683, he became governor upon the death of William Leete and was governor for 15 years which coincided with James II's plan to consolidate the New England colonies as the Dominion of New England.

James II came to the throne 6 February 1684/85. The new British king wanted to withdraw charters previously granted to the colonists. Sir Edmund Andros demanded 31 October 1687 that the Charter of the Colony be returned. Robert Treat instructed his secretary to hide it in an oak tree in Hartford. Later, when William and Mary came to the throne, Gov. Treat retrieved the charter from the tree (which became known as the Charter Oak) and resumed government of the colony 9 May 1689.

He served as lieutenant governor or governor for 32 years (with the exception of Andros brief usurpation). He was commander of the Great Swamp Fight and a major commanding the Connecticut troops at Hadley and Springfield battles, and the encounter with Indians at Blood Brook, 18 September 1675. He died at Milford 12 July 1710 aged 89. It is said that he had twenty-one children although there is no proof of that saying.

SAMUEL[3] TREAT (Robert[2], Richard [1]), born in 1618, was baptized in Milford, CT 3 September 1648 and graduated from Harvard in 1669. The following year he was found residing in Newark, NJ with his father. Samuel was ordained minister 17 March 1675.[1] He became a distinguished clergyman in Massachusetts and was grandfather of Robert Treat Paine, signer of the Declaration of Independence.

He succeeded Rev. John Mayo at Nauset (later renamed Eastham) for 50 pounds per annum with a "sufficient load of wood brought to his house." Later he was given 20 acres of upland and 3 acres of meadow called "Mill Meadow" at Lieutenant Island. He selected other land lying closer to his church. It was 20 acres (where the marker still stands) with the house on rising grand meadow with a brook flowing out of a cedar stream. This was a productive farm with rich soil. This appears to have not been fee simple but for use of the minister or ministers.

The meeting place used when Treat became the minister measured 20 feet square. By 1678, the old house was unfit for use and was replaced by a new one built on the same spot. In 1681, a belfry was added "to hang the bell in." The cost of the belfry was 4 potatoes.

REV. TREAT was greatly beloved by his people where he labored for 45 years for a congregation of whites and Indians. He was recognized and

compensated for his translation of the Confession of Faith in the Nauset language. The Cape Cod Indians were a prosperous and peaceful group who wanted a civilized life and Christian schools, unlike the other New England Indians. They were treated with kindness in public and were visited in their homes by Rev. Treat. The Nauset Indians revered him as a father and a rare and good friend. It is said that his loud and harsh voice could be heard at a great distance.

When Treat and the other ministers were no longer on the scene to watch and protect the Indian from the cupidity of the whites, "the sellers of strong waters," the Indian relapsed into his old savage customs.[2]

Samuel Treat was the third minister to be called to Eastham, following John Mayo and Thomas Crosby. On theology, Rev. Treat was Calvinistic of the strictest kind. He was quoted as having preached: "Hell is God's house of correction."

He married (1st) 16 March 1674, ELIZABETH MAYO, of Barnstable, Cape Cod. She was the daughter of Capt. SAMUEL MAYO and TAMSEN (LUMPKIN) MAYO and was baptized at Boston, 22 May 1653. She died at Eastham, 4 December 1696, aged 44. Their 11th child, NATHANIEL married MARY LYON.

He received a small salary from his parishioners, and a small compensation from the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel for his service among the Indians.

Connecticut descendants of Rev. Samuel Treat removed towards New Jersey, New York and Ohio, while descendants of the Cape Cod family migrated northward to Wellfleet, Truro, Boston, and Penobscot River later to be part of the District of Maine.

Samuel Treat died 18 March 1716/17 aged 69. His Nauset Indian friends begged privilege of helping to bear his body to the grave. His tombstone may be seen at Eastham, MA.

Epitaph at the Bridge Stone Cemetery, Eastham, Massachusetts:

"Here lyes interred ye body of ye late learned & Revd Mr Samuel Treat ye pious & faithful pastor of this church who after a very zealous discharge of his ministry for ye space of 45 years & a laborious travel for ye souls of ye indian nativs fell asleep in Christ March ye 18 1716/17 in ye 69 year of his age."

"Stone removed from Cove Burying Ground prior to 1905 and kept at Snow Library in Orleans - destroyed by fire 1952."[3]

Children of Samuel[3] and (1st) Elizabeth (Mayo) surname Treat:

i. JANE, b. 8 Dec. 1673, d. 1 Sept. 1729; m. 11 Oct. 1694, CONSTANT FREEMAN.

ii. ELIZABETH, b. 24 July 1676, d. 3 March 1755; m. ca. 1695, JABEZ SNOW.

iii. SARAH, b. 20 June 1678, d. 26 Sept. 1728; m. 10 Dec. 1700, THOMAS ROGERS.

iv. SAMUEL, b. July 1680, d. 23 Oct. 1733; m. (1st) 27 Oct. 1708 JOANNA VICKERY; m. (2nd) 26 July 1721; m. Mrs. MARY (SEARS) STREET.

v. MARY b. 16 March 1682, d. 4 Jan. 1722/23; m. 10 Dec. 1700 Dea. JOHN RICH.

vi. ROBERT, b. 24 Feb. 1683/4, d. 30 April 1701 of fever.

vii. ABIGAIL, b. 13 June 1686; m. 7 Oct. 1708, RICHARD STEVENS.

viii. JOSEPH, 19 Nov. 1690, d. Feb. 1756; m. (1st) 25 June 1713, MARY LARKIN; m. (2nd) 8 Dec. 1742, MRS. SARAH MARY (SEWARD) FARMER.

ix. JOSHUA, b. 17 March 1692, d. 6 Nov. 1753; m. ca. 1720 MERCY HIGGINS, b. 20 March 1697, dau. of ISAAC and LYDIA HIGGINS, of Eastham.

x. JOHN, b. 17 May 1693, d. ca. 1762; m. 6 Dec. 1716, ABIGAIL YOUNG.

xi. NATHANIEL[4], b. 13 April 1694, d. ca. 1735; m. 8 Oct. 1719, MARY LYON.

Children of Nathaniel[4] (Samuel[3], Robert,[2] Richard[1]) and Mary (Lyon), surname Treat

1. SAMUEL[5], b. at Truro, MA, ca. 1720, d. ae. 86 at Truro, 1 Nov. 1805; m. 7 May 1741, SARAH RICH, b. 26 Nov. 1715. d. ae. 74, 23 Nov. 1789, dau. of SAMUEL RICH. Samuel was bro. of Deacon JOHN RICH, of Wellfleet.

   Children of Samuel and Sarah (Rich), surname Treat:

   (i). MULFORD[6], b. 11 March 1741/2, (g.s.sp. TREET), bp. 15 Aug. 1742; m. at Wellfleet, 22 March 1764, MRS. HANNAH DOAKES.

   (ii). MARY, bp. 13 May 1744.

   (iii). SAMUEL, b. 18 June 1745, bp. 25 Aug. 1745, d. 22 Nov. 1820; m. 6 Feb. 1772, ELIZABETH LONBARD.

   (iv). NATHANIEL, b. 15 Dec. 1747, bp. 8 April 1748, d. 13 April 1824; m. 13 April 1773, ANNA RICH.

   (v). SARAH, b. 2 May 1750, bp. 10 June 1750.

   (vi). ANN, bp. 18 Feb. 1753.

   (vii). WILLIAM, bp. 3 Oct. 1756. A Rev. War soldier in Col. John Cushing Regt. at Newport, RI, 59 dys., from 23 Sept. 1776 and was in others.

   (viii). EZEKIEL, bp. 2 Nov. 1760.

2. WILLIAM[5], b. 1720, d. 1 Nov. 1805, ae. 86, m. MARY SARAH RICH.

3. JEMINA[5], m. 1 Mar. 1744 SIMEON NEWCOMB.

4. MARY[5]; m. 16 Oct. 1749 JOSEPH WARD (See ch. 5 for more about this family).

5. ANNA[5]; m. THOMAS HIGGINS.

Children of Samuel[3] and (2nd) Abigail (Estabrook), surname Treat:

xii. EUNICE[4], b. at Eastham, 27 Sept. 1704, d. ae. 43, 17 Oct. 1747; m. 21 April 1721, Rev. THOMAS PAINE. Rev. Paine, b. 9 April 1694, d. 30 May 1757. He entered Harvard, ae. 19, and graduated in 1717. He was a great mathematician and he published almanacs in Boston in his own name in 1718 and 1719. He calculated the great eclipse of 1806. Ordained into the ministry at Weymouth 19 August 1719. Because of ill health, he gave up the ministry and rem. to Boston being successful in business, but due to reversals in 1759 he lost his property and went to Halifax, N.S. He was able to leave a good estate to his family largely due to his inheritance from his father.

ROBERT TREAT PAINE, 4th child of Thomas and Eunice (Treat) Paine, b. 12 March 1730/31 at Boston, d. there ae. 84, 11 May 1814. He m. 1770 SALLY COBB who d. in 1816. Robert Paine graduated from Harvard in 1749, taught school for a year, and then made 3 voyages to North Carolina as master. He also sailed to Fayal, Cadiz and Greenland on whaling voyages also as master. He was chaplain of Col. Willard's regiment and admitted to the bar in 1757. In 1774 he was a deputy to the First Congress representing Taunton in May attending the congress at Philadelphia. He signed the Declaration of Independence 4 July 1776. In 1790 he was made judge of the supreme court and resigned that position in 1804. Descended from Robert Treat Payne are JANICE E. HODELL, res. at Lincoln, RI in 1991 and MRS. SUSAN MENEFEE, res. at Richmond, VA in 1998.

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APPENDIX C

The Doane Family

The first Done recorded in England was RICHARD DONE, of Utkyntom about 1199, in the time for King John. JOHN DOANE, known as "Deacon Doane," was born in England and came over on the Truelove, aged 16. It is suggested he was the son of John Doane, of Plymouth.[1] He married (1st) ANN___, (2nd) LYDIA___. He was of Plymouth before 1631 and removed to Eastham, MA as one of the seven planters in 1644. He was a deacon in the church. (Lydia, one of his children, was born in England and married SAMUEL HICKS).

A memorial stone placed in 1907 at Cove Burying Ground, Eastham, Massachusetts honoring John Doane:

> "In memory of John Doane, founder of the Doane family in America, born about 1590 - died February 1 1685 came to Plmyouth about 1630 where he was deacon of the church, deputy to the General Court, one of the assistants to the governor, member of the committee to revise the laws in 1636, one of the founders of Eastham in 1644 deacon of the First Church here and deputy to the court, erected by his descendants 1907." [2]

SAMUEL DOANE was born at Eastham 30 October 1697 and died there 25 August 1778. He married (1st) widow THANKFUL ROBINS at Eastham, 7 June 1720 and (2nd) ELIZABETH SNOW, who survived him and died 3 April 1780. He settled at Eastham and served as assessor in 1731; selectman in 1735-6. His will, dated May 13, 1772, named his wife, Elizabeth, Joseph Ward, Benjamin Ward, George Ward, Lydia Ward and Zillah Ward, heirs of his daughter Zillah; daughter of Thankful Maker: son, Samuel Doane, Jr., son Samuel executor. Children listed in Eastham records include PRISCILLA, born 23 December 1772 who married GEORGE WARD.[3] (See Chapter 3.)

The Doane Rock is located just off Doane Road northeast of Eastham village. It is believed to be the largest glacial rock on the Cape. It is almost as high as a typical early 1 1/2 story Cape Cod house. It is also known as Enock's Rock, named for Dr. David Doane's youngest son. [4] Gerald Ward stands on top of this rock demonstrating its huge size.

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APPENDIX D

King Philip's War 1675-76

By the 1660s, settlers had outgrown their dependence on the Indians for wilderness survival techniques and had substituted fishing and commerce for the earlier lucrative fur trade. From 1640-1675 land-hungry settlers kept pushing into Indian territory in Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island. Tribes had to fight back to protect their homelands otherwise they would be subject to alien law, limitation on personal freedom, usurpation of favorite hunting grounds and regulation by strict Christian morality. Philip got support of almost all Northeast tribes and made ruthless Indian raids on frontier settlements from Connecticut River to Massachusetts and Naragansett Bay. Assaults on Indian villages by Colonial militia were made. Six hundred whites died. Dozens of frontier settlements were wiped out. Entire tribes were decimated. Then settlers were free to expand.

The joint forces that the colonists raised to fight the Indians in the seventeenth century can be considered to the forerunners of the United States Army. In the King Philip's War, the New England colonists banded together and organized a common army to defend themselves against the Indian confederation led by King Philip (also called Pometacom), chief of the Wapanoags. Each colony was assigned a quota: 527 men from Massachusetts, 315 from Connecticut, and 158 from Plymouth. In terms of percentages, this was the most costly war ever fought on American soil. When it was over one out 16 men of military age had been killed and full half of all the towns in New England had been attacked.

Wards in the war listed 1 October 1675 in the Malborough, MA garrison included: INCREASE WARD; JOHN WARD from Cambridge, MA, whose name appears on the garrison's pay records; SAMUEL WARD; WILLIAM WARD, a Deacon whose name appears on the defense plans for the garrison. WILLIAM WARD's name appears on orders from the Council of Connecticut, dated 14 January 1675 commanding him and JOHN BRACKETT, of Wallingford, "to go to New London, to care for the wounded there."[1]

New England's battle for supremacy earned its colonists a reputation for excessive brutality against the Indians. James Drake discusses the extremism of atrocity and slaughter of Indians during this war. Were Indians to be sold into slavery or used as indentured servants? What dictates punishment to the Indian- dictates of law, or dictates of morality (religious beliefs), like father and child?[2]

Participants in King Philip's War were paid for their services in land by lot, located in Maine. In 1733, a drawing in Boston was held and awarded land in Standish and Gorham, ME in payment for fighting. The first drawing was for 30 acres by lot in Standish, second drawing was for 60 acres by lot anywhere, and the third was for drawing for 100 acres by lot anywhere.

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Also see Robert Treat's contribution under Appendix B.
Peter Marshall and David Manuel, *The Light and the Glory*, (Old Tappan, N.J.:Fleming H.Revell Company, 1973), pp. 223-34 about King Philip's War.

APPENDIX E

Wards From Wellfleet in the Revolution

One hundred fifty years after the landing at Plymouth, the combined colonies were larger than Great Britain. While the colonies population was smaller, they were geographically more diverse. Boston had become one of the five major cities in the colonies. New England had become a society of farmers, fishermen and merchants. Iron, mining and smelting were supplied while Great Britain furnished manufactured goods for the colonists.

A seventh of the world's pig iron was produced in America. Much silverware was produced on this side of the Atlantic, including that of Paul Revere. Colonial-made ships carried a third of the merchandise. New England exported whale products, fish, barrel staves and rum. The fishermen could export directly to Catholic Europe.

The British would use this source of raw materials to manufacture goods which would be returned to America. This policy of "Old Colonial System," or mercantilism, resulted in an unbalance of trade for the colonies. Thus, the colonies would be known as an underdeveloped country today and be indebted to its mother country.

Nevertheless, the New England prosperity produced a rich class of professionals such as lawyers, doctors, clergy planters, farers (travelers), merchants and manufacturers. Ten Universities including Harvard and College of William and Mary had been established.[1] Meanwhile the English had been involved in the French and Indian War (Seven Year's War) in 1756 and captured Quebec in 1759. The British needed cash and believed the colonies should pay a share of the costs of these wars. Thusly, in a five-year period (1764-1767) the British levied a Sugar Act on lumber, food stuffs, molasses and rum; the Stamp Revenue Act the following year wherein stamps were required to be affixed to newspapers, playing cards, liquor licenses and certain legal documents. This affected the legal profession, printers, tavernkeepers and merchants.

Promptly nine colonies, including Massachusetts, passed the Declaration of Rights opposing taxation without representation in Parliament and trial without jury in Admiralty Courts. (Quickly, the British repealed the Stamp Act). But the following year the Townsend Act levied a tax on glass, painter's lead, paper and tea. Three years later all of this was repealed except the tax on tea.

In other actions, the British troops fired on a Boston mob killing 5 persons, known as the Boston Massacre; some angry colonists scuttled tea from East India Company ships (The Boston Tea Party, 1773); the Intolerable Acts by Parliament barring use of Boston port until the tea was paid for. The midnight

ride of Paul Revere in 1775 signaled that the Revolutionary War was on. Political parties soon formed. Conflicting ideas surfaced. The two parties emerged known as Whigs and Tories. First the Tories, the conservatives, with a fear of change, preferred things the way they were. The American Colonies would decline into anarchy, they thought. These friends of the government opposed independence and favored reconciliation with Britain.

They became obnoxious in their support of Britain. The British gave immigrants, merchants, planters a promise of advancement, honor, glory, wealth and power. Trade with them that was important to business in the colonies. The farmers feared loss of their lands. Doctors, lawyers, teachers and clergy who had expensive training in England favored the Tory line. They all thought Britain would prevail in the end anyway.

Other colonists who opposed the revolution were government officials, merchants and large land owners. Many Massachusetts inhabitants were Harvard graduates and socially acceptable people, and Quakers who were living under religious immunities. They were suspected of reporting locations of American troops to the enemy. To support the revolution would mean spending their worldly goods on the war and take great risks of losing their fortunes. These were Loyalists, Tories, perhaps one-third of the colonial population. The British government thought that two thirds of Americans were loyal to the crown, and by the end of 1778, nearly 7,500 Loyalists were under arms in service to King George III.

Some of the unfortunate Tories were sent to abandoned copper mines at Simsbury, CT 150 feet below the surface where many died. These "conservatives" were concerned for good government, security and order. They had no wish to move to democratic government since their ideal was the British constitution. They wanted a transition from British to independence to be smooth and easy and without disorder.

People on Nantucket were Loyalists. They lived on the ocean and did not want their livelihood interrupted.

A letter from Phebe Ward to her husband who fought as Tory:

"Kind Husband
I am sorry to aquant you that our farme is sold
thay said if I did not quitt posesion that thay had aright to take any thing on the farme or in the house to pay the Cost of a law sute and imprison me I have sufered most Every thing but death it self in your long absens pray Grant me spedy Releaf or God only knows what will be com of me and my frendsles Children
thay say my posesion was nothing youre husband has forfeted his estate by Joining the British Enemy with a free and vollentary will and thereby was forfeted to the Stat and sold
All at present from your cind and Loveing Wife
phebe Ward
pray send me spedeay anser."[2]

While Loyalists were numerous in Boston and Falmouth (now Portland), ME where commerce, royal service and professionals were strong, they were complacent, unorganized, and had poor leadership and poor liason. They lacked a central thinker. They really did not expect a war. They were loyal to a king an ocean away. Meanwhile Britain overestimated their support from the Loyalists.[3] They were astonished as the Revolution ran its course. When they were aroused, they failed to act boldly and decisively being the very quality Paine said was needed.[4]

The opposing party was the Whigs who favored independence.[5] They were the liberals of the day. The radicals, on the other hand, thought the purpose of the revolution was to make men free and equal, wrote of the liberty of the individual, his safety and happiness. These radicals believed that the British constitution was a "confederacy against...the rights of man." while others wanted a democratic government closer to the people. Thus, those colonists were in conflict in idealogy were largely agrarian in character, somewhat comfortable and had at least some education. There were some wealthy merchants, others shipowners. The southern colonists were planters and had their slaves...in Virginia it was the age of the gentleman. Gov. Samuel Ward, of Rhode Island was in office during the Stamp Act of 1765. He contributed immensely to the Whig cause of the Revolution.[6]

Newport, RI was the site of the royal administration which had a good deal of trade with British Empire and was vulnerable to sea attack and occupation by the British. Providence was a Whig stronghold and was less vulnerable to sea attack.[7]

"To know whether it be in the interest of this continent to be independent, we need only to ask this easy simple question: It is in the interest of a man to be a boy all his life?" Thomas Paine quoted by Oscar Zeichner,[8] became an astonishingly successful work. He was one of many who were glad to escape their homeland and become recent arrivals in the Colonies and become outstanding Whigs.[9] "[Gen.] Howe is as much deceived by you [Loyalists] as the American cause is injured by you. He expects you will take up arms, and flock to his standard, with muskets on your shoulders. Your opinions are of no use to him, unless you support him personally, for 'tis soldiers and not tories that he wants."[10] While he focused hate on George III, he suggested the confiscation of Loyalist property. This was done by the Continental Congress in Nov. 1777. Loyalist estates confiscated or taxed...some states did this in order to compensate for robbery victims.. Patriot officers requisitioned horses and supplies from Loyalists.[11]

Thomas Paine in *Common Sense* wrote 10 January 1776 that society in every state is a blessing, but government even at its best is but a necessary evil. Government, like dress, was the badge of lost innocence. Hereditary succession, he wrote, concerns mankind.[12] (see app. B for more on Thomas Paine, descended from the Robert Treat family).

The individual states conducted their own private wars against Britain, maintaining their own armies, navies and boards of war. They competed with each other even buying supplies from one another and really becoming 13 armies, not forming the unity of one continental army as Washington was attempting to do. Many British prisoners enlisted in the continental army as substitutes.

Inflation and scarcity became rampart. Paper money was useless. Differing opinions surfaced on the most appropriate way of forming this new independent form of government. John Adams favored a government of checks and balances while Thomas Paine argued for a unicameral legislature being the only true legislature of public opinion. Paine rejoiced in dispossessing their properties and distributing these properties to the needy patriots. This, he believed, would strengthen economic justice.[13]

Now the Wards living on Cape Cod were in close proximity of the Boston news which travelled fast by land and water. We have discussed the "politics" of the day which they must have debated. The last half of the 18th century was the time when John Ward and his family were moving up to Maine before 1779/80. (See ch. 7). How were they divided politically? We are uncertain which served and on what side. We do not know except we have a copy of Elisha Ward's pension papers and a list of Wards listed below.

1. DAVID WARD. Deserted from Col. John Greaton's 24th Regt. in Capt. Whiting's Company 20 April 1776. He was 21, 6 feet tall and dark complexion.
2. EZEKIEL WARD. Private in Capt. Isaiah Higgins Co., Col. Thomas Marshall Regt. Service 1 November 1776 to discharge: 1 month.
3. JOSEPH WARD. Drafted, paid fine in lieu of service. Sept.?
4. JOSEPH WARD, JR. Paid fine 8 September 1777.
5. ELISHA WARD, Rev. War Pension Appl.[14]

The Revolutionary War Record of Elisha Ward

Elisha was a brother of JOHN WARD who removed to Gorham, ME. Elisha is the only son of Joseph and Mary (Treat) Ward proven to have served in the Revolutionary War. Their children were of young age when the seeds of war were sprouting and developing into a full fledged revolution.

Daniel was a youngster of only 12 when the Boston Tea Party took place 16 December 1773. Later he was to remove to Gorham and marry PHOEBE JORDAN. Elisha was only 17. John was 23 and would remove to Gorham in 6 years. Jonathan would be born the next year in 1774.

It would be 4 years after The Declaration of Independence that John and Joseph Ward would be found in the Gorham, ME records. One can understand the feelings of excitement and continuous discussion that would occupy these brothers' thoughts.

They would live and talk the numerous issues being written about, agreed and disagreed, and talked about up and down the Eastern Coast of the colonies. Should America become a democracy and shed the British system of government? Or, should the colonies fight Britain at all?

The Wards must have been in the middle of discussing these timely questions. Which side each took cannot be known except Elisha who fought with the colonies. It is unknown the extent that the Wards of our interest were a part of this debate for independence, except that Elisha took part at the Battle of Bemis Heights and was wounded there. ELISHA[3] WARD (Joseph[2], George[1]), while residing at Wellfleet, MA, aged 20, enlisted for one year 1 January 1776 to 31 December 1777 in Capt. Cushing's Company, Col. Gratton's Regiment. This unit served at New London, Albany, Montreal and Maine.[15] He reenlisted in January 1777 at Chester, VT in Capt. Benjamin Brown's Co., Col. Michael Jackson's Reg. Elisha was stationed at Fort Stanwix and was wounded at the Battle of Bemis Heights, a wooded plateau located north of Albany, NY, and sent to the Albany Hospital with a broken left leg. He was placed on pension 17 June 1785 being paid $8.00 per month beginning 13 April 1818.

On his pension certificate,[15] Elisha was described as "in debt" and with no family, which does not coincide with the schedule mentioned later dated 18 April 1821 listing his wife and 2 children. On this Revolutionary War "Schedule"[16] Elisha owned no real estate, no personal estate and had not done any bodily labor for several years. The schedule listed his wife, Thankful, aged 68, children Joseph, 25, and Hannah, aged 28. One child (name not given) was unable to work or to earn own living.[17]

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APPENDIX F

Wards from Maine in the War of 1812

The British and United States continued to clash although the US independence had been recognized by Great Britain in 1783. Indians, who were fighting the United States, were encouraged by the British. Further, the American commercial shipping had become a rival to that of the British while the latter engaged in a long war with France. In an effort to restrict this ocean commerce by the states, the British attempted to blockade the American shipping that was trading with the French. The American ships were required to dock at a British port for inspection and payment of fees.

While many people in America supported war for this antagonism, many in the New England States opposed such a war since their economy was based on sea trade which they did not want interrupted by a war with Britain. Their products were rotting in British ports because the blockade was causing the US economy to suffer.

Albeit, Congress declared war on Britain and on 18 June 1812 the president signed the declaration. The plan was for the United States to invade and conquer Canada. Massachusetts was one of the seven states to oppose this action. Note that at this time, Maine was a district of Massachusetts.

While the US Navy had a well-trained and well-led 16-ship naval force, the army was small, poorly-equipped and poorly-led. There was still a problem at this time as to how strong the central US government should be. The New England coast, blockaded by the British 25 April 1814, was becoming very effective and producing economic distress for that area. While the United States sent out cruisers and encouraged privateers which took more than 1700 British ships, these efforts did little to loosen the effective British blockage on the coast. By the end of 1814, Britain was able to concentrate more of its efforts in America since Napoleon was being defeated, so America was compelled to defend its own territory rather than attempt to invade its neighbor to the north. Under these war-like conditions several Wards from Maine, including Ezekiel, were enrolled in the defence of Portland, listed below.

1. JONATHAN WARD. Private in Capt. E. Cobb's Co, Lt. Col. J.E. Foxcroft's Reg. Service 10 to 24 Sept. 1814. Raised at Gray, ME with service in the defense of Portland.
.2. BENJAMIN, JONATHAN and JOHN WARD. Capt J. Nealle's Co., Lt. Col. Andrew Grant. Service 1 to 4 Sept. 1814. Raised at Monroe, service in battle of Hampden.[1]

3. EZEKIEL WARD. He was one of eleven men from Gorham to serve. He was a Sergeant in Capt. Bettis's Company. Served in defense of Portland. He was a son of John and Hannah Ward, of Gorham.[3]
4. JONATHAN WARD. Private in Capt. J. Bemis Artillery Co. in Lt. Col. W. Rerson's Reg. 25 Sept. to 7 Nov. 1814. Company was raised at Paris, ME and vicinity.
5. JONATHAN WARD. Private in Capt. P. Eastman's Co. attached to Maj. Sleets Bat.

The British had orders to destroy the coastal towns and shipping and ravage the towns. The American strategy was to fight for its freedom of the seas by defending its major coastal cities while keeping its fleet of warships in port. The British strategy was to bottle the American fleet in port by blockading the coast.

President Madison then allowed 12 United States warships, including the USS Constitution, to sail. These limited number of American ships diverted the 600-ship British fleet for months.[4]

The "War Hawks," or "War Party" led by John C. Calhoun, SC, and Henry Clay, KY, were in favor of war with Great Britain and some were in favor of war with France. A successful war would annex Canada to the north and Florida in the south. This was called by some as "Mr. Madison's War." In essence, the New England soldiers' invasion of Canada accomplished nothing. The British, on the other hand, burned the White House and destroyed Thomas Jefferson's Library (which was to be the beginning of a vast national library) and war records. The United States war on land was poorly conceived and poorly fought.[5]

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3. McLellan, *History of Gorham*, p. 798.
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APPENDIX G

Documents of Wards in the Gorham, ME Area

The following documents contain litigation and administration of the estate of Joseph Ward, Jr., a trader. It appears he was the son of Joseph Ward who came to Maine with his brother John, and the father's name appears on the Gorham, ME tax list for 1780. Joseph, Jr. married HANNAH LUMMUS, of Hamilton, MA 12 July 1800. He followed the sea at one time. He purchased a quarter acre of land from SAMUEL PRENTISS in Gorham village. His estate was settled by his widow, Hannah, and SAMUEL LUMMUS of Hamilton.[1]

The litigation was a suit brought by Samuel Lummas against NATHAN WARD. It appears that Joseph Ward, Jr. was holding a note signed by Daniel Cuss (Cussa or Cresse) and held a horse valued at $130.00 and a promisory note for $622.37, dated 1 April 1802. He lost both the note and horse. Somehow, Nathan Ward got possession of this property and refused to give them back to Joseph while Joseph was alive. The suit was by his administrator to retrieve the note. A second horse valued at $130.00 and note of $622.37 dated 1 April 1802 was issued by Cresse to Joseph Ward, Jr.

Theodore Musse Esq, of Standish and Ephriam Smith, of Gorham were summoned 17 June 1803 on this case. Papers reveal that the jury found for the plaintiff for $809.33 damage in this case. It appears that this Nathan Ward may have been a brother to Joseph, Jr.

On 31 January 1807, Judge Samuel Freeman of the Court of Probate agreed that the estate was insufficient to pay all of the debts being $350.25 and ordered the lot in Gorham (including house in ill repair) valued at $400.00 be sold to pay the debt (See Chapter 7).

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Cumberland, ss.....To the Sheriff of our Count of Cumberland, or his Deputy,

WE command you to attach the Goods or Estate of Nathan Ward of Gorham in the Count of Cumberland yeoman to the value of one thousand dollars; and for want thereof to take the body of said Ward (if he may be found in our precinct) and...safely keep so that you have him before our Justices of our Court of Common Pleas, next to be holden at New Glouster within and for our said Count of Cumberland, on the third day of Tuesday of October next, then and therein said Court, to answer to Samuel Lummus of Hamilton in the Count of Essex yeoman as he is administrator on the estate were of Joseph Ward Junior late of said Gorham testate deceased, not administered by Hannah Ward late of said Gorham widow desceased in a plea of trespass on the case for what the said Joseph at said Gorham on the first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and two he being then in full life

and was possesed of a horse of the value of one hundred and thirty dollars and a certain promisor note of hand signed by one Daniel Cusa for the sum of six hundred and twenty two dollars thirty seven cents dated April first in the year one thousand eight hundred two payable to said Joseph Ward Junior or his order in one year from the date thereof with intent after sixty days being for value received as his own property and said Joseph of being so possessed thereof afterwards the same day casually lost the same horse and note out of his possesion and the same horse ... thereafterwards on the same day into the hands possession of the said Nathan by finding come yet said Nathan will knowingly said horse and note to be the property of said Joseph but contriving to cheat and defraud the said Joseph has never delivered said horse and note nor either of them to said Joseph during his life though often requested nor hath he delivered the horse to the plaintiff. Since that time though likewise requested but afterwards...on the last day of said July in the year one thousand eight hundred two at said Gorham said Nathan converted the same horse and note to his own use. Also for that the said Joseph at said Gorham afterwards on the same first day of July and the year aforesaid be being then in full life was possessed of a certain other horse of the value of one hundred thirty dollars and also a certain other note of hand issued by said Crease for the sum of six hundred twenty two dollars and thirty seven cents dated April first in the year one thousand eight hundred & two payable to said Joseph Ward Junior or his order one year from the date thereof with interest after sixty days the horse the same being for value received and the property of said Joseph and the said Joseph being so possessed thereof then afterwards on the same day casually lost said horse & note out of his possession and the same horse and note afterwards on the same day into the hands into the possession of said Nathan by finding... et the said Nathan well knowing said horse to be profert of said Joseph, but contriving to cheat and defraud the said Joseph never delivered the same to him during his life though often requested nor hath he delivered the same to the plaintiff since the death of said Joseph though likewise requested, but afterwards to wit at said Gorham on the on first day of July now but part and since the death of said Joseph he the said Nathan converted the same horse and note to his own use. All which is.

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Cumberland....Sept 29 1804

Pursuant to the within writ I have attached all the write title which the within named Northern Ward may or can have to a certain tract or parcel of land in Gorham now in possession of the father of said Northern Ward and whereon he and his father now lives and at the same time I left a summons at said Wards and usual place of above.

... ... Sherrif

his service	0.50
travel 30 Miles	1.40
	$1.90

And the said Ward comes and defends the force and injury and when he and he says he is not guilty in ... as the plaintiff is alleged against him & thereof puts himself on the contrary.

(Note: Daniel... may be spelled Cusa, Cuss or Cresse).

(Cover Page Samuel Lummus Petition)

To the Honorable Justice of the Court of Common Plea for the Count of Cumberland begun and holden at Portland in said Count on the first Tuesday of March AD 1807.

The Petition of Samuel Lummas administrator de bonis non on the estate of Joseph Ward Junior late of Gorham in said Count Deceased.

That the humbly shews estate of said Deceased is not sufficient to pay the just Debts of said Deceased by the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars and twenty five cents - that the Real Estate of said deceased consisted of a small lot of land in said Gorham and house thereon which is out of repair and which were appraised at four hundred dollars.

That by a partial sale of the same the residue would be greatly injured. We therefore pray that our Honor would grant him the license to sell the whole of said Real Estate agreeable to a Law of the Commonwealth in such case provided.

Samuel Lummas

Cumberland County Jan 31 1807

I Samuel Freeman Judge of the Court of Probate for said Count do hereby certify that Samuel Lummas Administrator de bonis non on the estate of Joseph Ward Junior late of Gorham in said Count deceased has settled an account of his administration on said estate by which it appears that there is a balance in his hand of Four hundred and sixty nine Dollars and eight six cents the personal estate which he accounted for being 660.41

and charge of administration 190.54

469.87

I further certify that the amount of claim against said estate as reported by the Commissioners appointed to examine the same is one hundred and one dollars and eight cents - and that the said administrator has exhibited to me upon oath a list of other Demand against said estate amounting to seven hundred and nineteen dollars and four cents viz

Demands paid including his own of 642.04

Unpaid & which he believes are full due 77.

719.04

So that the personal estate is not sufficient to pay all the Debts of said Deceased by the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars and twenty five cents.

That the Real Estate of said Deceased consists of 1/2 of 1/3 of an acre of land more or less with one half of the building thereon appraised at four hundred dollars and as it is necessary that a part of the same be sold for the payment of said debts and by a partial sale the residue would be greatly injured. It is my opinion that the whole should be sold for the purpose aforsead.

Sam Freeman

Claim...	101.08
Debt	719.04
	820.12
Bal???	469.87
	350.25

Deed of Land Isaac H. and Isaac Ward Purchased from Samuel Garey, Jr.

Know all men by these Presents, That I, Samuel Garey, Jr. of Sebago County of Cumberland and State of Maine in consideration of the sum of one hundred and ten dollars paid by Isaac H. Ward and Isaac Ward both of Sebago in the State and Count aforsaid merchants the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge, do hereby give, grant, bargain, sell, and convey unto the said Wards their Heirs and Assigns forever, a certain peace of land situated in the town of Sebago in said County and State, Beginning at a Maple Tree on the line running

between Isaac Wards and the above named Garey, running west one and one half degrees south to a red oak tree standing on the westerly end line of land owned by...B. and William Shaws thence south twenty five degrees east to the south easterly corner of said lot thence twenty five degrees south to land cornered by Elijah Fuller thence by said Fullers land to the county road, thence crossing the road on the line of Isaac Wards land to the first ... bounds being past a Pond lot so called numbered forty eight containing thirty five acres more or less and I do also sell the said Wards the privilege of Building a ... that shall flow a pond of water nine feet deep from the twenty eighth? of August to the twenty eighth of May annually on the remainder? of the lot I now own.

To have and to hold the aforegranted and bargained Premises, with all the privileges and appurtences thereof, to the said Wards their Heirs and Assigns, to their use and behoof forever.

And I do Covenant with the said Wards their Heirs and Assigns that I am lawful seized in fee of the premises; that they are free of all encumbrances; that I have good right to sell and convey the same to the said Wards to hold as aforesaid; and that I and my Heirs shall and will Warrant and defend the same to the said Wards and their Heirs and Assigns forever, against the lawful claims and demands of all persons.

In witness whereof, the said Samuel Garey and Jane Garey wife of the said Samuel Garey relinquishing their right and domain.[2]

Signed and Delivered this twenty fifth day of August 1854?

Samuel Garey
Jane Garey
Witness J.W.Paine

Cumberland, SS August 25 1854? Personally appeared the above named Samuel Garey, Jr. and acknowledged the above to be his free act and deed. BEFORE ME.

Joseph W. Paine, Justice of the Peace.

Received August 28 1854? at 9 o'clock, 5 min O.M., and recorded from the original by William Mitchell Register Cumberland ...

To Theodore Musse Esq of Standish
Ephriam Smith of Gorham gentlemen alias yeoman
Greeting

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to make your appearance before the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas next to be holden Portland within and for the Count of Cumberland on the third Tuesday of June instant to give evidence of what you know relative to an action or plea (trespass on) of the care then and there to be heard and tried between Samuel Lummus plaintiff and Nathan Ward Defendant Hereof fail not, as you will answer our default under the pains and penalty in the law in that behalf made and provided dated at Gorham the seventeenth day of June in the year of our Lord Anmo Domini 1803

Barrett Porter Justice of the Peace

Cumberland ...June 10th 1805
By virtue of this receipt I have summoned the within named Smith by reading as the law directs?

Ellis Standish Sheriff

His service	1.00
travel	4.01
	5.01

Cumberland June 19th 1805

I have made due service of this receipt? upon Theodore Murphy Esq by reading the same to him.

Dep Sheriff

Fee travel	$ .80
service	.10
	.90

I have traveled twenty eight miles ... three days

Ephriam Smith

I have traveled forty miles ...three Days

Theodore Murphy

Notes of Appendix G

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APPENDIX H

The Civil War; Fort Meigs - Built for Defense of Washington

Before discussing the Civil War it would be interesting to study the economic and political situation in the state of Maine during the decade prior to the Civil War, when the citizens of that state, including the Ward families, were living. The Maine economy was expanding on a predominantly agricultural base. Over 30 per cent of the population were farmers with approximately another 8 per cent laboring on the farm. Thus, nearly half of the Maine population was working in agriculture.

Gorham, Maine's booming business during the Civil War, other than farming, was the manufacture of gunpowder. The Gorham-Windham Powder Mills, located at Gambo Falls on the Presumpscot River, furnished more than one quarter of the gunpowder used in the Civil War by the national government. While the people were happy when war was over, the drop in gunpowder business caused the panic of 1873. By 1877 and 1878 the gunpowder business was booming again when the Russian government ordered gunpowder during its Russo-Turkish War. Earlier in 1854-56, Gorham furnished powder to Russia during the Crimean War.

In 1872 Oriental Powder Mills purchased the powder plant at Gorham. The Industrial Census of 1880 reported that 10-hour days were worked by the skilled laborers who averaged $2.00 per day, and $1.50 per day for the ordinary worker. The gunpowder plant at Gumbo covered a tract of about 500 acres. Forty six men were killed in gun powder explosions during the period between 1828 and 1904. Twenty five explosions occurred during 1856 and 1904 with much loss of life during accidents.[1] Yet there were other occupations aiding in the state's vibrant growth during this period. In Lewiston and Biddeford there were 19 factories importing their cotton from Louisiana. Railroading, stone and marble cutting were prosperous occupations. On the coast, the second largest trade was shipbuilding from which shipbuilders, sailmakers and mariners prospered. Boat building industrialists (the state's 4th largest industry) maintained an office in New Orleans.

Politically, Maine was against slavery, the doctrine of state's rights and disunion. Each of these political stands were against the peoples' prosperous industries. A war with the southern states would cut off the needed supply of cotton for the mills, drastically reduce all of the facets of the shipping business and cause economic calamity.

Even so, while the nation gave only 39.8 per cent of its vote to Lincoln, Maine gave him 62.2 percent and much of this support came from Cumberland and Androscoggin Counties. Maine was the first state to vote in this election. The saying still goes *As Maine goes, so goes the nation.* Then the Civil War came.

What were the results of Maine's political and economic successes of the earlier decade? By 1861, the coastal trade dropped about a half. There were only nine ships launched that year compared to 23 a year in the previous decade. The textile industry withered since there was no cotton coming from Louisiana. Then Maine lost 9,300 men during the war[2].

A Scarboro broadside poster, dated 1 October 1861, was part of a "modern" publicity plan to recruit young volunteers to serve in this war effort. It read "To Arms! Citizens! OUR COUNTRY CALLS!! THE UNION, IT MUST AND SHALL BE PRESERVED Come on Sons of Maine! NOW IS THE TIME. Col. Shepley's Reg. & Gen. Butler's Grand Division. BEST CHANCE EVER OFFERED! Scarboro should raise a Company, and all able-bodied men who wish to join, may do so, by applying immediately."[3] The State of Maine furnished 70,107 total troops who served in the Civil War, of which over 9,000 died. The names of the Wards are listed below along with the units they were assigned. All were privates serving the infantry unless otherwise indicated. Where possible, those who can be identified as descendants of Jonathan Ward are so noted.

Thomas Laurens Smith prepared a town history of Windham at the request of the town for its centennial celebration 4 July 1862. He described the location of ponds, rivers, support of its schools, and a discussion of the causes of the War of the Rebellion, listing the eleven southern states which seceded from the union within 6 months from December 1860 to June 1861. He described the United States government as a complex government which contributeed to the cause of the "War of the Rebellion." Congress makes laws for national purposes; state legislatures make laws by which people are governed for state purposes. This division of powers between national and state powers require people to serve two masters, he wrote, who were antagonistic to each other. The national government was founded upon the democratic principle that all are entitled to equal rights and the aristocratic state governments were founded upon the aristocratic principle that all are not entitled to equal rights. The result was a civil war - the worst of all wars.[4]

He attempted to explain the feeling among the citizens of the state and the reason for so many volunteers to serve in this war. This limited democracy where the national government received its powers from the states, was founded in jealousy. This laid the foundation for a conflict on "States Rights" asserting that states have a right to secede from the national government.

Windham sent 51 of its men including some of the Ward families to the war of whom 11 deceased. Some Wards listed from Windham were: Thomas J. Ward, 30th Regiment, Co. C., deceased and Josiah B. Ward, son of Jacob and Susan Ward, of Co. C. 30 Regiment died in General Hospital in Virginia 25 March 1865 aged 25 years.[4]

The national capital was filled with rumors, fear and uncertainty. President Lincoln was concerned for the safety of that city. On 25 October 1862, Quartermaster Gen. Montgomery C. Meigs was one of six brigadier generals appointed by Secretary of War Stanton to study the defenses of the capital. The commission decided that 25,000 men were required for this defense. By the end of the war, 68 forts, 93 separate artillery positions and 20 miles of trenches had been constructed as a result of that study. Company F, 25th Regiment of Maine Infantry Volunteers, commanded by Thos. W. Harris, was inducted 10 September 1862 to serve for nine months. It became a part of the 17th U.S. Infantry commanded by Capt. Dana who mustered 963 men 29 September. They arrived on East Capitol Hill 18 October and 26 October encamped on Arlington Heights where they were assigned to the defense of Washington including the guarding of Long Bridge. While there they assisted in the construction of Camp Meigs for which they were recognized for their skill and ingenuity for their work on this most elaborate and permanent camp.

They were also connected with the construction of Fort Meigs and Battery Rucker as were men from Brig.Gen.Daniel Sickles' New York (Excelsior) Brigade; companies from the 17th and 19th Maine Infantry, 9th Rhode Island infantry, 9th and 14th Massachusetts Heavy Artillery, Independent Company E (Knapp's) Pennsylvania Light artillery, and the 9th Rhode Island Infantry.[5]

The construction of these forts probably saved the city from capture or heavy fighting. Gen. Robert E. Lee told his cousin shortly before his death that he could not send his tired and hungry soldiers against these forts.

Fort Meigs was built probably about one half mile north east of Fort DuPont Park on the Washington-Maryland line and about 2 miles south west of the eastern most point of the Washington-Maryland line. If the enemy had control of the Potomac below Washington, they could use the stream Anacostia to reach the arsenal, the navy yard and the capitol. Otherwise, dashes of calvary at the bridges or temporary occupation on the heights by artillery through independent raids could be accomplished from an arm north of the Potomac. Fort Meigs was constructed to obstruct an approach from Bladensburg by Eastern Branch and Benning's Bridge Roads, and from a lower point and a more extensive detour, two crossings of Oxen Run above Fort Meigs would be necessary.

Because of the ridges in the contour of the land, a chain of 10 works from Fort Meigs to Fort Greble occupying a summit of the 6-mile ridge between Eastern Bridge and Oxen Run was constructed. Fort Meigs was constructed to

be capable of resisting vigorous assault, being a key point to the ridge. To accomplish the complete defense, several auxiliary works were necessary due to the contour of the land - all to be considered a single fortification which must sustain itself for a few days.

Q.M. Gen. Montgomery C. Meigs was also responsible for supplying the armies with equipment to fight the war. This assignment proved to be an almost impossible task. In reviewing the correspondence between commanders, Gen. Meigs had difficulty in supplying and transporting materials to the front. Problems of unloading railroad cars and wagons and returning them to the quartermaster depot for reloading were numerous. Some wagons, for instance, were filled with officers' baggage thus holding up other use of these wagons.

Gen. McClellan complained to Secretary of War Stanton about the urgent need of horses. In his answer to Stanton, Gen. Meigs revealed that he had sent an average of 1,459 horses out a week for 6 weeks suggesting that the field commander must take better care of these horses. Some horses were killed in action, captured, disabled, or not fit for work. Meigs, being cost-conscience, noted that these horses sent out in the last 6 weeks cost not less than $1.2 million and that the treasury had not paid $11.3 million in bills.

Even the president of the B & O Railroad, J. W. Garrett, was having trouble since he could not deliver merchandise on his railroad cars fast enough. He noted that 160 cars were burned near Manassas or detained somewhere and that some were held south of the Potomac. This became a problem for Meigs in not being able to supply materials to the front expeditiously. So Gen. Meigs, for whom Fort Meigs was named, played a very key role in the conduct and success of the war. ISAAC WARD'S company was assigned to the construction of Fort Meigs and guarding of Long Bridge during his nine-month enlistment in the army.

Enforcement of President Lincoln's blockade order was the principal task of the Union Navy during the Civil War. It included blockading 3,549 miles of Confederate coast from Alexandria, VA to the Rio Grande. It was begun on the Potomac River April 1861 to intercept Confederate trade and communications and to protect Union traffic on the river. The Atlantic coast from Virginia to Cape Florida was first assigned to Atlantic Blockading Squadron and 23 September 1861 was divided into the North Atlantic and South Atlantic Blockading Squadrons with boundary lines between North and South Carolina.

A flotilla of small vessels cooperated with and protected the army on the James and York Rivers in Virginia during July and August 1862. A naval force convoyed the arm of Major General Butler up the James River in May 1864. Thereafter, a flotilla was maintained on the James to immobilize Confederate naval vessels on its upper waters. The blocking squadrons, including capturing and destroying Confederate cruisers on the high seas, early in 1865 comprised of 474 vessels with 2,455 guns.[6]

Some of the Wards who served in the Union Navy are discussed here, information being taken from their military and pension records found in the U.S. National Archives in Washington D.C. None of the Wards of the Gorham-Sebago Lake area are known to have served in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War. GEORGE W. WARD was the son of William Ward (born in New Brunswick, Canada) and Priscilla (Witt) Ward (born in Halifax, N.S., Canada). George married 7 February 1890, Nancy A. Sprague (her second marriage) at Dennsville, Washington Co., ME. He died 20 March 1908 of malarial poisoning, according to his certification of death. She applied for her pension 3 April 1908 and was granted a pension by certificate #6424.

George Ward served as an ordinary seaman on the United States Steamer Pontoosuc and received his pension of $24.00 per month 28 January 1908, just two months prior to his death. He was discharged from the Navy 11 January 1865, but it appears that the first correspondence about his application took place on 20 November 1886. It appears that in March 1865 George became sick while on the James River and confined to sick bay with chills and fever. He complained of diarrhea until he was discharged at Boston. He was also treated for rheumatism. "The fever went to his leg and blistered it", according to one affidavit.

A typical general affidavit written for George Ward was sworn before the clerk on 24 September 1897 by Hiram Farle, then a 52 year-old friend of George, at Dennsville, ME:

> I am acquainted with George W. Ward, have lived near to him 42 years, have seen him and conversed with him each year since he was discharged from the Navy exception ... years when he was away to sea. I know he has been afflicted with rheumatism each year, knowing his condition....and advised him to apply for pension more than twenty years ago but he did not until his disability was such that he had to seek help from the government or go to the town. I have frequently tended him when he was in a crippled condition and unable to walk and know that today he is a physical wreck." (A dictation to Edwin R. Gardner)

Other affidavits on behalf of George Ward were made by Robert M. Blair, chief boatswain mate on the Pontoosuc, of Stafford Count, KA; Andrew Nachbaurer (Alias Abell) of Branch County, MI; Francis N. Clark, of Clark Hill (York County), ME; George Kirby, a druggist in Dennsville, ME who filled prescriptions used for diarrhea, chills and fever; Stephen Lyons of Dennsville, ME; Daniel Langhton, West Pembrook, (Washington Co.),ME, a master of several American vessels on which George sailed. (No relation between this George Ward and that of the Wards of Gorham and Sebago Lake area have been found).

FREEMAN C. WARD aged 18, enlisted at Portland, 26 August 1864 for one year. He was described as having blue eyes, brown hair, light complexion

and being 5 feet 7 1/4 inches tall, occupation as a farmer. Freeman and Uriah Ward were landsmen and listed on the muster roll 1 April 1865 of the USS *Rhode Island*, having been received from the USS *Ohio*. He was discharged from the service in New York in June 1865.

An endorsement by the Commissioner of Pensions, Department of the Navy stated China, ME as his place of birth and that he served on the USS *Sabine*, USS *Ohio* and USS *Rhode Island*.

URIAH E. WARD, aged 18, enlisted at Portland, 26 September 1864 for one year. He along with Freeman C. Ward were landsmen, and both were listed on the muster roll of 1 April 1865 of the USS *Rhode Island* having been received from the USS *Ohio*.(The *Rhode Island* listed 221 enlisted men). Uriah was described as having blue eyes, brown hair and being 5 feet 9 3/4 inches tall, occupation - farmer. He was discharged at New York in June 1865.

The tragic story of the loss of the USS *Monitor*, being towed out of Newport News, VA 31 December 1862 is vividly told by Virgil Carrington Jones.[6] It appears that Uriah Ward was assigned to the *Rhode Island* after this unfortunate event.

REUBIN D. WARD, son of Collins and Abigail Ward, enlisted at Boston 13 July 1864 at age 38 and was assigned to the U.S.S. *Wabash* as a seaman. He is described as having black eyes, black hair and being 5 feet 10 1/2 inches tall. Reuben married by George E. Snow, justice of the peace in Bangor, ME 6 December 1848 Mrs. Caroline Ellis, born about 1825 at Etna, ME. Reuben was born at Etna, ME and died of heart disease at Hillsborough, NH 30 September 1877, having been a farmer. (His death certificate gave his age at 57 which would have made his birthdate at 1820; however, his military record stated his age at 38 in 1864 when he enlisted would have made his birth date at 1826). Caroline Ward applied for a widow's pension on 10 November 1893 at Hillsborough, aged 85. After much correspondence concerning his possible previous service and possible claim by another marriage, she was paid $8.00 per month and was dropped 30 September 1901 when the government was advised of her death.

Reubin's records show he was attached to the following ships:

USS *Ohio*, 14 July 1863 to 25 July 1863.
USS *Wabash*, 10 August 1863.
USS *Marblehead* to 16 January 1864. (Listed on muster roll 1 October 1863, as seaman, aged 38, having been received from the USS *Wabash*. The *Marblehead* roster listed 77 enlisted men).
USS *Vermont* to 18 January 1864.
USS *Carnation* to 30 July 1864.
USS *Vermont* to 15 August 1864, when honorably discharged.

The flagship, USS *Wabash*, was a 3,274-ton steam frigate with 46 guns and was involved in the early amphibian operations on the coast. The president hoped that an early blockage of Charleston, SC would bring the war to a speedy close. The *Wabash* was one of four large ships involved in that blockade. The warship saw service off Hampton Roads and Cape Hatteras.[7] Although Reuben Ward was assigned to the *Wabash* only a few days, he was aboard one of the Navy's most active ships.[8]

CHARLES H. WARD and JOHN WARD are also listed as having served in the United States Navy during the Civil War.

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APPENDIX I

Civil War Military Histories of Some Wards from Maine

Because of the panic from the first disasters in the Civil War, a frantic call for volunteers came from the Adjutant General of the United States.There were about 130 soldiers by the name of Ward from the state of Maine who volunteered and served in the Civil War, 35 coming from the Gorham, ME area. Seven from Gorham lost their lives and their names are inscribed on the Soldier's Monument at Gorham. Some are discussed below are related to the Sebago Lake family of Wards. Josiah B. Ward (son of Jacob and Susan Ward); William W. and Charles M. Ward, both of whom died during the war (sons of John Ward, grandsons of Jesse Ward); William Harrison, George Warren and Isaac (sons of Isaac Hall and Lucy (Dexter) Ward); Eben and David (David killed) sons of David and Harriet (Hearn) Ward.

Since there were insufficient soldiers in the regular armies, it was necessary to constript voluntary enlistees. Maine Infantry Volunteers served from 10 September 1862 to 10 July 1863. The 25th was the second of 8 9-month regiments mustered into service and first to leave the state 16 October 1862. It was commanded by Capt. Thomas W. Harris. Capt. Dana of the 17th U.S. Infantry mustered 963 men 29 September 1862. They arrived in Washington 18 October 1862 after the two-day trip and camped on East Capitol Hill, assigned to the 3rd Brigade, Casey's Division of Reserve Army Corps in the defense of Washington, D.C.

They moved in a furious storm 26 October and camped on Arlington Heights camping on the north side of Columbia Pike in front of the line of earthworks, and were assigned to the defense of Washington including the guarding of Long Bridge, constructing batteries and infantry epaulments for making fascines, gibbons and hewing lumber, timber for magazines and bombproofs. They erected a camp of commodious log houses, roofed with boards. This elaborate and permanent camp was a plan of Q.M.Gen. Meigs. The regiment was recognized for its skill and ingenuity in this camp's construction.[1]

Early in the war, Washington was virtually defenseless. But by the end of the war the city was strongly defended with 68 enclosed forts and batteries. The 25th Regiment also was involved in the construction of Fort Meigs which was built on East Capitol Hill which was constructed adjacent to Fort DuPont, as part of the plan to defend the capital city.[2] Maj. Gen. Casey instructed the regiment in drills in evolutions of the line for which the regiment became very

proficient. On 24 February 1862, the 25th moved to Casey's First Brigade located on Little River Turnpike 5 miles north of Chantilly, VA and 5 miles north of Centerville, VA. This area was "infested" with guerrillas although the pickets experienced no attacks by the enemy. At this time Gen. Abercrombie replaced Gen. Casey as commander. In June 1863 he moved to Centerville and Fairfax Court House reporting to Gen. Hooker, Commander of the Army of the Potomac. The volunteers' term expiring 30 June 1863, they returned home and mustered out 10 July 1863. From 18 October 1862 to 24 March 1862 this unit served with the Defenses of Washington D.C. Thence to 26 June 1863 the unit furnished picket duty at Chantilly and from June 26 to 30 1863 they were removed to Arlington Heights and ordered home, their 9-month obligation having been completed. The regiment lost 30 men during their service due to disease.[3] Of the nine Wards who served in the 25th Regiment, Isaac, Harrison and Eben will be discussed below. The unit is not known to have participated in any engagements.

ISAAC[6] WARD, son of Isaac Hall and Lucy (Dexter) Ward, was inducted into the service, aged 33, 10 September 1862, and mustered out at Portland 10 July 1863. He and his family are discussed in chapter 14. He was a private in Companies D & F and served in the construction of Fort Meigs (discussed above), and encamped in Virginia at Arlington Heights with responsibility also of guarding Long Bridge. Maria's pension papers reveal that Isaac was admitted to the Judiciary Square General Hospital 15 April 1863 and was diagnosed as having chronic nephritis (inflammation of the kidney). Three weeks later, 6 May, he was transferred to the General Hospital at Philadelphia where the diagnosis appeared to be dieresis (ulcer). After about 45 days in the hospital, Isaac returned to duty 20 June with no diagnosis on his record.

Isaac apparently received no pension for his military service. Maria's Pension Records, however, reveal that his widow applied for her pension, aged 51, 22 March 1894, her residence being 52 Magazine St., Cambridgeport, MA and her post office address as Sebago Lake, ME.[4] Maria was 14 years junior to Isaac. (See app. K for further information on her Hanscom family). The remains of Isaac were held in the Cambridge Cemetery receiving tomb and were removed to the Orono, ME Cemetery for burial 27 April 1894, map A lot 51, section 1W.

Isaac was five feet eight and one quarter inches tall with light complexion, blue eyes, chestnut hair and occupation of chair maker[5]. Isaac enlisted aged 33 and served in Companies D and F, 25th Regiment.[6]

The Department of Interior, Bureau of Pensions, took note of more than one Isaac Ward served in the army and was careful not to approve pensions for the incorrect widow, even as a researcher of this family must identify his family from several Isaac Wards in the same state or county and in the same regiment. Isaac Ward's widow, however, in her affidavit certified that another Isaac Ward

in Company D, 25th Maine Regiment, was born at Topsham, ME, was 39 years old, five feet ten and a half inches tall, light complexion, brown eyes and light hair. He was a farmer and was no relation to her husband.[7]

Other persons signing affidavits to assist Maria Ward in receiving her pension were Augusta A. H. Smith, of Roxbury, MA, who knew both before their marriage and Sophia M. Neal, of Dorchester (Suffolk Co.), MA, who had known them for 38 years.[8] (See Chapter 14).

HARRISON WARD was born at Freeport, ME, 23 February 1840 and always resided there. He was believed to have been the ninth of eleven children of Joseph and Leah (Sylvester) Ward, of Freeport, ME[9]. He enrolled 10 September 1862 with Co. G, 25 Regiment of Maine Volunteers and was honorably discharged 17 February 1863 at Camp Tom Case, VA, 17 February 1863. He was discharged as a result of disease of spine result of typhoid fever, sick headache, bleeding piles and rheumatism. His Application for Pension Under New Law dated 12 July 1890 listed him as a shoemaker residing in Freeport, ME, aged 50 years, 5 feet 7 1/2 inches tall, light complexion, brown hair, blue eyes. Witnesses on this application were JOHN S. WARD, MARY G. WARD, ANDREW S. LITCHFIELD and GEORGE H. WINSLOW. Harrison died 30 June 1919 at Freeport. His wives were: (1st) ELLEN C.(BROWN) WARD, died at Freeport prior to 1867, (2nd) FANNIE EMMONA (TOWNSEND) WARD, died at Freeport 15 December 1898 (1894?) and (3rd) DELIA A. (BROWN) WARD.[10]

In his circular executed for his quarterly payment, Harrison listed the following living children ANGIE C. WARD, born 3 April 1867; ANNIE R. WARD, born 3 October 1873; JESSE H. WARD, born 1 April 18__; and RUO J. WARD, born 9 December 1888. His widow, Delia A.(Brown) Ward, applied for her pension aged 70 and was paid twenty five dollars per month beginning 7 August 1919. She married Harrison at Freeport 13 March 1900, the wedding performed by The Rev. George Merriam, this being her first marriage. She died 14 February 1920 having been nursed by Minnie J. Ward at the home of Jesse H. Ward at Freeport. Her physician, medicine and undertaker bills amounted to $143.35, all of which were paid.

EBEN WARD was the son of David and Harriet (Hearn) Ward and grandson of Jonathan and Sarah (Hall) Ward. He was a brother of David Ward who was killed during the war. (See ch. 13). Eben Ward volunteered for 9 months and was mustered in Company K, 25th Regiment of Maine Military Infantry Volunteers which was organized at Portland 29 September 1862 when they encamped at Camp Abraham Lincoln, near Portland. This was the same company in which his cousin, Isaac Ward, served (See above).

GEORGE WARREN WARD, son of Isaac Hall and Lucy (Dexter) Ward and brother of Isaac and William H Ward, enrolled aged 18 at Biddeford, ME, 11 August 1862 as a private in Company D, 1st Regiment, Maine Calvary,

giving his residence as Windham. (See chapter 12). He was mustered 21 August 1862 at Augusta for three years and was honorably discharged 28 May 1865.[11]

While George and Lydia are listed as residing at Biddeford in 1880 with daughter, Alice, his military records show he lived at New York City for a short time and at Sioux Falls, SD for over 32 years after the war.

He was "taken prisoner in the Dahlgren Raid in March of 1864. While confined in prison at Richmond, VA, incurred both measles and mumps, that by exposure... his weight dropped from 180 pounds to 100 pounds. From this and exposure rheumatism settled in. He was honorably discharged at City Point near Petersburg, VA 8 May 1865." He was treated at the hospital at Annapolis. After the war, he settled at Biddeford, ME, being partially disabled. He worked as a contractual builder.[12] George was held prisoner probably at Belle Isle at Richmond where many of the Union prisoners were detained. Prisoners were allowed to swim in the James River where this 80-acre island was located. The transfer point from confederate to union prisoners was "City Point" on the river near Petersburg. It is quite likely that George saw some of his cousins who were also held prisoner at this island. He was honorably discharged 8 May 1865 at Fortress Monroe, VA. This declaration noted his "Injured state of left testicle, rheumatism and...heart disease and impaired vision and hearing." [13] In his Declaration of Pension at Sioux Falls, dated 6 June 1912, George Ward, aged 68, was described as five feet, ten and one half inches tall, light complexion, blue eyes and dark hair. He listed his occupation as a farmer, and that he lived in Biddeford, ME until June 1889 having moved to Sioux Falls since then.[14]

Later in 1920, George was almost totally blind due to cataracts, kidney and bladder trouble. He had lived at Sioux Falls for 32 years.[15] He died aged 80 and was last paid at the monthly rate of $72.00, 17 May 1924. He is buried at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Sioux Falls, SD.[16]

WILLIAM HARRISON/HENRY[6] WARD, was a son of Isaac Hall and Lucy (Dexter) Ward and brother of Isaac and George Warren Ward. (See ch. 14). He mustered in Co. E, 10th Reg. ME Inf. Vol. at Portland, 4 October 1861. The regiment left for Baltimore two days later and was attached to the Army of the Potomac, moving to Winchester, VA 9 May 1862 for operations in the Shenandoah Valley, VA. They served guard during the Bull Run Battle, and at Stafford, VA Court House.[17] William's group was assigned to duty at Headquarters 12th Army Corps. He was honorably discharged at Portland, 8 May 1863.[18]

He married 11 May 1864 at Standish, ME, Flora (Cushman) Chick, about a year after his discharge from the army. By 1891, the family was living at Jersey City, NJ where, aged 50, he applied for an invalid pension stating that he was partially unable to work due to rheumatism, kidney trouble and

malaria.[19] On 23 June 1892, he was residing at 42 Wayne St., Jersey City (Hudson Co.), NJ.[20] On 21 October 1897, William executed an affidavit for the Bureau of Pensions giving his same Wayne Street address, and listing his marriage to Flora as 11 May 1864. Children were listed as Charles A., born 2 April 1865; Gertrude, born 7 January 1879; and William H. born Thanksgiving Day 1877.

In 1899 at Jersey City, aged 58, it appears his pension of $8.00 per month for reasons he considered erroneous had been discontinued so he reapplied for its restoration by stating that he was "partially unable to earn a support by reason of having contacted rheumatism in service of the army. For several years have been suffering from long standing liver and kidney trouble having passed several gall stones. Also he was suffering from spinal trouble and the usual nervous derangements. Have had repeated attacks of jaundice and biliary colic extending over many years."[21]

Gilbert E. Moulton, of Sebago Lake, ME, was appointed guardian by the Probate Court of Cumberland County 15 June 1906, since William had been judged "insane." William was last paid $30.00 4 August 1906 and died 11 August 1906.

Flora applied for widow's pension 30 October 1906, giving her address as 7 Bradford Street, Medford (Middlesex Co.) MA. She claimed no property nor income except for her own labor and that William left no property nor insurance.[22]

William W. Ward and Charles M. Ward were sons of John[5] and Mary (Gerrish) Ward, grandsons of Jesse[4] Ward who was born in 1771, and great grandsons of John Ward, whose name first appears on the tax list at Gorham in 1779. (See ch. 7). Both of these soldiers died while in service in the Civil War. WILLIAM[6] W. WARD was born in December 1844 and died 20 October 1863. (See below). William, aged, 18 joined at Augusta Company F, 16th Regiment of Maine Volunteers 26 June 1862 and mustered 14 August 1862 for three years. He is described as being 5 feet 9 1/2 inches tall, dark complexion, black eyes, brown hair. His occupation was that of a farmer according to his military records.

The regiment left Boston 16 August 1862 at 6 P.M. on the Old Colony Railroad for Fall River, then sailed on the steamer *Commonwealth* to Jersey City. They left Jersey City, NJ 20 Augustat 4:30 P.M. arriving at Philadelphia at 1 P.M. the next day. At 3 P.M., they left for Washington D.C. At 11 A.M., 22 August, they left Washington, crossed Long Bridge over the Potomac River and "camped that night on the dirtiest soil that could be found in the dirty state of Virginia."[22]

William was reported sick in quarters 14-31 August 1862. On 30 April - 31 August, he was reported missing in action 1 July 1863 at the Battle of Gettysburg.[23] He was captured at Gettysburg and confined at Richmond, VA

21 July-5 August 1863. He was admitted to the hospital 18 August with rheumatism, and paroled at City Point (at Petersburg, VA) 21 August and then admitted to the General Hospital at Annapolis, Div. 1 where he died 10 October 1863 of typhoid fever.[24] His father, John, sent William's brother, John H. Ward to Annapolis to claim his property. On 12 October 1863 he appeared before O.M. Taylor, justice of peace, identifying that he was a brother and was sent by his father for this purpose.[25] John H. Ward signed a receipt for William's personal belongings which were: 1 cap, 1 pair trousers, 1 shirt, 1 pair of shoes, 1 pair of stockings and 1 blouse, all described as being "worn."

William was probably not confined in the famous Libby Prison in Richmond, VA which was used for officers. Capt. Luther Libby, of Maine, operated this leased building as Libby & Sons Ship Chandlers. It was commandeered and Libby had 48 hours to vacate. More than 50,000 prisoners passed through this prison, 100 of whom escaped through a 50-foot tunnel dug under a wall. Half of them were recaptured.

Other prisons in Richmond in which he may have been confined were: Castle Godwin, N. Cary St. between 18th & 19th Sts., Castle Thunder (used mainly for civilians), Castle Lightning (for disorderly soldiers) and Belle Isle for enlisted men who were allowed to swim in the James River. William was probably confined at Belle Isle.[26]

CHARLES[6] M. WARD was born at Granville, ME 28 March 1840 (1843?) and died 12 May 1864. His father was John Ward who was born in 1805 and married Mary Gerrish of Windham. His grandfather was Jesse Ward who was born in 1771 and married Hannah Mitchell. Charles was described as 5 feet 7 1/2 inches tall, light complexion, blue eyes, brown hair. His occupation was listed as carpenter.

He mustered in Lieut. Dexter's Company A, 5th Volunteer Regiment of Maine Infantry aged 19 for 3 years, 24 June 1861 at Portland as a corporal. The company's original organization was at Gorham.[27] He was listed a corporal on the January 1862 muster and had been promoted to sergeant at the time for his death. His unit had been in Virginia for some time. The unit was in Alexandria, Manassas, sailed on the Potomac, Fort Monroe, sailed up the York River, Yorktown, West Point, Mechanicsville (in view of Richmond), Second Bull Run, Washington, Anteitam, Fredericksburg, Cold Harbour (also near Richmond), and North Anna River.

Hugh D. McLellan, *History of Gorham, Maine* recorded that Charles was killed 12 May 1864 at Spotsylvania. This was the first day of the "Bloody Angle" assault. He "died May 12/64 Bell Plain, VA. Gun shot wound received at ___?".[28] Memorial markers were placed in memory and honor of Charles and William at the North Gorham, ME Cemetery.

The Battle of Spotsylvania was fought severely May 8-21 1864. On 12 May, soldiers fought hand to hand for over 20 hours in pouring rain. Confederate log-

reinforced trenches were shoulder high. A mature, two-inch oak tree was severed by musket fire. Spotsylvania was the shortest route to Richmond for the Union forces. The attack against Lee was abandoned 18 May in favor of another route to the Confederate capitol city. Had he lived Charles would have covered almost all of Northern Virginia and around Richmond to Petersburg where his unit was mustered out 27 July 1864. Of his 3-year enlistment he was within 2 1/2 months of his term expiring. His burial place is unknown. Many soldiers who were wounded at Spotsylvania were taken to Bell Plains, VA and many of the unknown soldiers who died are buried in the National Cemetery at Fredericksburg, VA.

GEORGE WARD was born at Bowden, ME and enrolled aged 41 as a farmer 29 July 1862, at Bowden in Isaac W. Starbird's Co. F, 19th Regiment of the Maine Volunteers to serve for three years. He was mustered in as a private 25 August 1862 at Bath, ME. He was described as a farmer, 5 feet 7 1/2 inches tall, light complexion, blue eyes and brown hair.

He was assigned orderly for Henry C. Sevenselar, Adjutant Surgeon of the 19th Regiment, and contacted a severe cold from exposure around 1 December 1862 while on a march from Falmouth, VA to Bull Run, VA. He also had chronic diarrhea. After the Battle of Fredericksburg 13 December 1862, he became considerably debilitated from disabilities which brought about palpitation of the heart which continued. He was a patient at the General Hospital, Washington, D.C. in January and February 1863. Discharge papers are dated 24 January 1863 at "Camp near Falmouth, Va."

George Ward died at Richmond (Sagadahoc Co.), ME 25 August 1900, aged 79. After his discharge he resided at Bowden and performed no labor because of his illness. He married (1st) SUSAN RIDLE who died 27 December 1888 at Lewiston, ME and married (2nd) ELIZA I. MONTGOMERY 18 January 1890 at Bowden by Rev. A. J. Baker. Eliza had been married to DALLAS MONTGOMRY, a native of Fairfield, VT, who died of typhoid fever aged 35.

In a questionnaire to the Bureau of Pensions, dated 4 June 1898, George Ward listed his children as: JOSEPH B. WARD, born 18 April 1843; NICHOLAS S. WARD, born 17 October 1844; CHARLES H. WARD, born 10 April 1852; CYNTHIA A. WARD, born 20 December 1854. Nicholas S. Ward, aged 54, son of George and Susan Ward, and dau. of Nicholas, granddaughter of George, Julia E. Morse, age 30, affirmed in a general affidavit at Lewiston dated 26 October 1900 these two marriages of George and that Eliza did not remarry after his death.

ELIZA WARD was born 28 November 1844 at Paris, ME.[29] She was not George Ward's wife during the war. She was 72, 2 October 1916 when her request for increase in pension was signed at Richmond Corner, ME. She was paid twenty dollars per month to her death 17 March 1917. According to the

affidavit signed by C.H. Ward, 12 April 1917, she had been helpless and had insufficient funds to pay nurses and doctors bills. He requested to the Bureau of Pensions that any money due her be paid to him so he could pay these outstanding bills.

WILLIAM H. WARD was born at Calais, ME about 1838. He was five feet ten inches tall with light complexion, blue eyes and dark hair. His occupation was listed as blacksmith.

He enlisted aged 28 in Company G, 15th Regiment of Maine Infantry Volunteers 24 January 1864 to serve 3 years. He was wounded by a rifle ball entering the left side "near the small" of his back of his spine and came out on his right side. He was taken prisoner 9 April 1864 at the battle of Pleasant Hill, LA and was honorably discharged 8 April 1866 at Chesterfield, SC. with chronic hepatitis.

This Regiment was assigned to Butler's Expeditionary Corps at Ship Island, MI and had seen service in Florida, Texas, New Orleans and other assignments. Following the battle of Pleasantville, where William was wounded, the Regiment moved to Fort Monroe and Bermuda Hundred, VA, Washington, D.C., Savannah, GA and Chesterfield, SC where he was discharged. The Regiment lost 5 enlisted men and 3 officers killed and mortally wounded during the service and 340 enlisted men by disease for a total of 348.[30]

William Ward's discharge papers listed him as a "hard faithful soldier up to August 1865, when at Georgetown, SC, he contacted disease by exposure while in line of his duty, and has been fit for duty but a very small portion of the time since." After the war, William became a resident of Veazie, (Penobscot Co.), ME where he applied 18 May 1866 for an invalid soldier's Army pension aged 28. He owned a house and lot there valued at about $600.00. His rating was corporal under the command of Colonel Murray. This application lists his first application for 3 years was 20 December 1861.

This application stated he reenlisted as a veteran 24 January 1864 in Company G. His wound occurred during his second enlistment. The application mentions that he was left on the field following his injury, captured and paroled 16 June 1864. He was awarded $4.00 per month pension and reapplied 10 June 1870 for an increase to $8.00 per month since he believed his disability was increasing. He died 26 January 1896. His first wife, SARAH H. WARD, died during the war 20 November 1863.[31]

His widow, FANNIE A. WARD, was aged 51. Children under 16 years old at his death were listed in her *Declaration for Pension* were listed as: LILLIE FRANCES, born 7 April 1882; MYRTLE BURNESE, born 22 June 1884; and JUNE ESTELLE, born 15 June 1886. Fannie died 28 January 1913 and was receiving her monthly pension of $12.00 per month.

JOSIAH[6] B. WARD was the fourth child of Jacob[5] and Susan (Baker) Ward. He enlisted aged 28 at Windham, his birthplace, 2 November 1863 (See

ch. 11). He was mustered 19 December 1863 at Augusta for 3 years in Co. C., 30th Regiment of the Maine Volunteer Infantry. His papers describe him as 6 feet 3 inches tall, light complexion, dark hair with occupation as a farmer. From 19 December 1863 to April 1865, he was "left sick at Augusta". His regiment left the state for New Orleans, 31 January 1864. It appears he was removed to the U.S.General Hospital at Winchester, VA where he died of typhoid fever 25 March 1865. (His age was listed on the company muster roll was stated incorrectly at 18).

The report from the Adjutant General's Office, dated 8 August 1865, listed his articles and "one pocket book containing papers and one likeness set in Ivory." Josiah missed the duty of his 30th Regiment which arrived in New Orleans 16 February 1864 and left in July to be attached to the Army of the Shenandoah, Middle Military Division to December 1864.It fought in the Red River Campaign, the Battle of Sabine Cross Roads, Pleasant Hill and Cane River Crossing. The regiment moved to Fortress Monroe and Bermuda Hundred, VA from 2 to 18 July 1864, thence to Deep Bottom, Washington, DC and Harper's Ferry, WV. It took part in Sheridan's Shenandoah Valley Campaign and Bunker Hill and performed duty protecting trains and stores as well as further duty before returning home.[32]

BENJAMIN F. WARD was born 12 July 1836 at Thorndike and died there aged 51 years, 3 months, 27 October 1887. (See Chapter 6, Part II). His intention to marry LYDIA E. BLITHEN was entered 8 September 1865. Lydia died 10 April 1906 aged 59 years, 3 months 17 days. (g.s.).

He enrolled 30 July 1862 at Concord, NH to serve for three years in the 19th Regiment, Capt. Calvin B. Hinkley's Company B, Maine Infantry Volunteers. His pension papers describe him as a farmer, 26 years old, five feet eight inches tall, dark complexion, blue eyes and dark hair. This regiment left Maine 27 August and was attached to the Defences of Washington to October 1862 and to the Army of the Potomac until June 1865.

Among the numerous assignments and engagements were the following: Harper's Ferry (30 Sept.- 4 Oct.), Battle of Fredericksburg (12-15 Dec.), "Mud March" (20-24 Jan. 1863), Chancellorsville Campaign (27 April-6 May), Battle of Gettysburg (1-3 July), Pursuit of Lee (5-24 July), line of Rappahannock (7-8 Nov.), Battle of the Wilderness (5-7 May), "Bloody Angle," North Anna River (23-26 May), Pamunkey line (26-28 May), Siege of Petersburg (16 June to 2 April 1865), Deep Bottom north of James (27-28 July), mine explosion, Petersburg (30 July), Appomattox Campaign (28 March-9 April), fall of Petersburg (2 April), Farmville (7 April), surrender of Lee and his Army at Appomattox C.H. (9 April). The regiment had a Grand Review in Washington on 23 May. It was mustered out 31 May and discharged 7 June 1865. The Regiment lost 3 officers and 189 enlisted men killed and mortally wounded with 2 officers and 182 enlisted lost by disease.[33]

Benjamin Ward contacted diarrhea and suffered from exposure in October 1862 at Bolivar Heights, VA and was hospitalized. He was hospitalized three additional times during 1862 and 1863 for treatment for diarrhea. He was wounded in his right shoulder 12 May at Spotsylvania and was hospitalized during the months of September and October 1864. His papers state he contacted malarial diarrhea resulting in malarial poisoning of heart, liver and spleen at Bolivar Heights, VA. For this he received treatment by the Regimental Surgeon and later at the General Hospital at Annapolis Junction, MD.

Further, in August 1863 while on march in pursuit of the enemy near the Rappahannock River, VA, he received a sunstroke but continued on duty with his unit. Later, after the war, his affidavit states he was troubled with dizziness of the head, eyes and ears. He suffered temporary blindness, staggering, pains and partial deafness.

He was wounded 12 May 1864 at Spotsylvania with a gunshot wound in the shoulder. Having died 27 October 1887, he was dropped from pension.[34] Lydia Ward's affidavit for her pension stated that they were married after the war at Plymouth (Penobscot Co.) ME 14 September 1865 by Daniel Stone, Justice of the Peace and that Benjamin died of dropsy due to his chronic diarrhea and malarial poisoning. Her children aged under 16 listed in her claim were Sidney, born 16 March 1872; Sarah L., born 25 November 1873 and Addie N., born 7 October 1876. Lydia was paid $12.00 per month pension. She died 10 January 1906. Affidavits of long time friends who assisted her in her pension claim included those of Henry Parsons, John H. Bailey and Newell Bagley.

EDWIN WARD was the son of Timothy and Lydia Ward of Thorndike and grandson of David and Hannah Ward. He served as a private in Battery B, 1st Regiment of the Maine Light Artillery under Capt. Shebbs. He enrolled at Belfast, ME 15 September 1864 for 1 year as mentioned on his pension request and was discharged 16 June 1865.

Among those filing affidavits was George P. Ward, probably his older brother, and Clifton Hunt. This statement reflects Edwin's condition as perfect health before the war but afterwards he could perform only half the work of an ordinary man and his condition grew worse from year to year. The statement continued that Edwin was bolstered in bed in an upright position inhaling smoke from the burning of salt-peter, bark or other ingredients day and night. He was not known to have suffered from asthma until after the war. An affidavit by Simon B. Waning and Truman H. Bucklin stated that Edwin was a farmer and could not work but half of the time.

These men were descendants of SILAS JORDAN WARD who had removed to New Hampshire from Maine. (See Chapter 6, Part II). SILAS H. WARD, aged 36, enlisted in the First New Hampshire Co. H., Light Battery of the 7th Infantry Regiment, 7 December at Manchester and mustered 14 December

1861. The steamer *Connecticut* transported the regiment to Canal Street in New York where they spent a month of inactivity, poor food and boredom. They sailed again 13 February. Some of the 800 enlistees left New York on the full-rigged ship *S. R. Mallory* and the remainder sailed on the *Typhoon*. Now over 900 officers and men packed in two ships many of whom became sea sick, others contacted small pox with others falling overboard during the storms. The *Typhoon* made port at Dry Tortugas (found east of Key West, FL) in 16 days while the *Mallory* took an additional 5 days.

The regiment was at camp at Beaufort, NC in June 1863 and was ordered to St. Augustine by 15 September. By this time, 200 men had been lost by death or discharge because of disease. Thence they went to islands off Charleston in a second attempt to take that city. The assault of Ft. Wagner, SC cost the regiment 218 men killed, wounded or missing in less than two hours.

In February 1864, the 7th lost another 200 men in a fierce battle at Olustee, FL. Silas Ward was wounded in his right thigh at Hilton Head, SC, 20 February 1864, and discharged 1 September 1864 because of his wounds. His Certificate of Disability gave his age as 36 and gave his description as dark complexioned. He died aged 50 at Madison, NH as result of this wound. Had he remained with the regiment, he would have gone to Petersburg, then to New York during the presidential election to guard against riots and then home.[35]

SAMUEL WARD enlisted at Concord aged 38, 1 September 1864 and mustered in Co. G., Heavy Artillery 6 September 1864. He mustered out 15 June 1865. He received a back injury while in the service and died suddenly aged 61, 24-25 May 1887. It appears he did not apply for a disability pension although his wife Tabitha did apply for a widow's pension after Samuel's death.[36]

Notes to Appendix I

1. An original copy of the plan of this camp is owned by the author and on loan at the Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, VA.

2. Drawings for this fort are preserved at the Natl. Arch., Arlington, VA, and copies owned by the author. (See app .H for more information about Fort Meigs and the defenses of Washington).

3. Frederick H. Dyer, *A Compendium of the War of the Revolution*, vol.3, Regimental Histories *(New York: Thomas Yoseloff)*, pp. 524, 525. Hereinafter Regimental Histories.

4. Maria Ward's widow's Decl. for Pension, dtd. 22 March 1894 and witnessed by Nettie Dearborn and Virginia E. Ward, U.S.Civil War Records, Natl. Arch. and Records Ser., Washington, DC. Hereinafter Pension Papers. These records contain valuable information about the soldier's families and health problems following the war.

5. Maria Ward's Pension Papers, claimant's aff. reside at 32 Prince St. Cambridge, MA.

6. *Regimental Histories,* p. 1227, and *Maine in the War*, pp. 523-525).

7. Maria Ward's Pension Papers certified aff. proving her relationship to the right Isaac Ward. (No. 602, 687, dtd. 20 Oct. 1894).The Bureau of Pensions appears to have questioned whether Maria Ward was married twice. The older Isaac who served in the same unit seemed

to have caused some confusion also. It is evident that this was included in her statement to alleviate any misunderstanding about the two Isaac Wards. Her pension claim was approved.
8. Mrs. Nettie Dearborn, aged 55, of 111 Chestnut Ave, Jamaca Plain, MA; Virginia E. Ward, aged 41, of 52 Magazine St., Cambridgeport, MA signed similar aff. dtd. 22 March 1894. These were filed with the Pension Bureau by John A. Keefe, atty. at Boston. (Virginia E. Ward is identified as Vera Ward, wife of Julius Edgar Ward, brother of Isaac).
9. Harrison Ward, Freeport VR, #225, p. 40, at ME State Arch. His pension cert. no. 570,940.
10. Freeport, ME Records Book B page 219.
11. *Pension Papers, Declaration of a Widow for Original Pension,* for George Warren Ward by his wife Lydia dtd. 10 May 1924.U.S.1880 Census, Biddeford (York Co.), ME.
12. *Pension Papers, Declaration for Original Invalid Pension*, by George Ward, dtd. 7 May 1887.
13. *Pension Papers, Declaration for Invalid Pension for George W. Ward* app.#609,606 made at Sioux Falls (Minnehaha County) SD, dtd. 2 April 1890.
14. *Pension Papers, Declaration for Pension*, for George Ward cert.#845082, dtd. 12 June 1912.
15. *Pension Papers, Declaration for Pension* dtd. 16 Aug. 1920, for George Ward.
16. George Ward, as recorded in Record of Deaths No. 3, entered as no. 7503, p. 282 having died of apoplexy of four days ae. 80 yrs., *Certificate of Death*, Co. of Minnehaha, SD, on file at his Civil War service records, Ntl. Arch. He was last paid 17 May 1924 at the rate of $72.00 per month. *Drop Report - Pensioner*, *Declaration of a Widow for Original Pension* dtd. 10 May 1924.
17. Dyer, *Regimental Histories*, p. 1222. Service for William H. Ward.
18. *Pension Papers, Declaration for Invalid Pension*, dtd. 21 Sept. 1891, Co. E. 10th Reg. Me. Inf. Vol.DC. for William H. Ward.
19. Pension Papers, claim #1059357. *Aff.* dtd. 23 June 1892, for William H.Ward. Lists his disabilities, children and residence at Jersey City.
20. *Pension Papers,Restoration, Declaration for Invalid Pension,* dtd. 14 Oct. 1899 for William H. Ward.
21. Pension Papers, Flora Ward's claim for pension on Gen. Aff., dtd. 30 Oct. 1906. Claim for Pension. Later she requested an increase in her pension on cert. #621410 aged 76 and giving her birth date as 3 Sept. 1840 at Munsen, ME and present address 103 Magoqn Ave, Medford, ME. She died 6 April 1928 with her last monthly payment of $30.00, 4 April 1928. *Drop Report - Pensioner* Cert. #621410.
22. See Maj. Arsmall, *History of 16th Maine.*
23. *Pension Papers, Company Muster Roll for William W. Ward*, Pvt. Co. F. 16 Reg't Maine Infantry for 14-31 Aug. 1862, U.S. Civil War.
24. *Pension Papers, Memorandum from Prisoner of War Records,* Waltz 265-1868. He was interned in grave #393 Ash Grove, U.S.Cemetery, *Record of Death and Interment* 12 October 1863,N.A.
25. Pension Papers, Aff.of O.M.Talor,Justice of Peace certifying that John H. Ward was brother of William W. Ward, dtd. 12 October 1863. Also Receipt for Personal Belongings of William W. Ward, dtd. 12 Oct. 1863, Co.F.16 Regt., ME Vol., N.A., signed by John H. Ward.
26. Civil War Centennial Committee, No. 1, James B. Casey, ed., *Libby Prison Autograph Book Jan.-Feb. 1864*, owned by The VA State Library and Arch. at Richmond, VA.
27. *Pension Papers, Aff. for Charles M. Ward,* signed by 1st Lieut.Joseph Wight,Commanding Company, dtd.1 July 1864.

28. *Pension Papers, Co. Muster-out Roll for Charles M. Ward*, corpl., Co. A, 5 Reg't ME Inf. Ae. 19 yrs., Portland, ME 27 July 1864.
29. Pension Papers, Eliza Ward's pension widow's certificate #534071.
30. Dyer, *Regimental Histories,* pp. 1224-1225.
31. This was recorded in the family Bible of Sadie P. and Theodore F. Young as affirmed by S.J.Bradford notary public at St. Croix County, WI.
32. Dyer, *Regimental Histories*, p. 1227.
33. ibid, vol. 3.
34. Pension Papers, Benjamin dropped from pension. Benjamin Ward Pension Cert. #122,426.
35. *Soldiers of Eaton and Madison*, p. 106-107, 116.
36 Ibid., p. 165.

APPENDIX J

The Alden, Burrill and Dexter Families

With the marriage of Isaac Hall Ward and Lucy Dexter several prominent early colonial families became a part of the Ward family. Lucy was a member of the prominent Dexter family. This family was part of the John Alden, Prescilla Mullens tradition, and the Burrill family.

Christopher Jones was a proud quarter owner of the ship *Mayflower*, built in 1609, 90 feet long and 26 feet wide. It was designed and built by private parties to accommodate the increasing trade to the colonies, and was being used very profitably to transport wines out of the Mediterranean. Captain Jones was a hardened veteran commanding many tough and dangerous characters on the ship. It was a hard life for all.

This small vessel was chartered to carry a group of people to the new land. Among the passengers was a stockholder in this enterprise - William Mullens, his wife, Alice, son Joseph and a daughter Prescilla. The daughter was a self-reliant, good-to-look-at and one of the thirteen young people of the voyage. Prescilla was to be one of the three young people to lose her parents and brother during the first winter. William, Alice and son Joseph Mullens died along with about half of the Mayflower group during the first harsh winter.

The Mayflower dropped anchor in Plymouth harbor on the cold day of 26 December 1620. No one was allowed to go ashore until the landing parties could search the land and determine the best place to land.

Can one imagine 7 girls and 6 boys, 13 in all, youngsters under 20 years old aboard this small vessel for another 5 weeks after a long, stormy voyage and looking at the shore to freedom? "There's John Alden holding Pris Mullin's hand" was the gossip. But they were not the only love birds on the ship![1]

The Alden Family

John[1] Alden was born about 1599 and was described as "a hopeful young man." This "young, handsome young man, being tall, blond and strong," had been hired as a cooper (barrelmaker) at Southampton, He "hasn't done a barrel head of work since he boarded the ship" was the rumor.

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow made the John Alden-Prescilla Mullins story famous in his poem, *The Courtship of Miles Standish*. The story in this poem may have been based on tradition rather than fact. However, it was said that Miles Standish never forgave John Alden for this trick.

The marriage of John and Prescilla Mullins was among the first in the new colony. They had eleven children. Among the descendants from them include Longfellow, President John Adams and William Cullen Bryan. Their first house was located at Town Square at Plymouth, 300 feet from the "Alden House." He served as assistant governor from 1631 to his death and treasurer for 2 years beginning in 1656. By 1632-33, they were living on a 169-acre farm in Duxbury, MA.

John Alden joined the Plymouth Church. He led in the persecution of the Quakers and Baptists. He became "low in his estate." For many years he spent considerable time at the court house when public servants were not paid out of tax money since the state believed it owed no man a living.[2] He was sent in 1637/38 with Capt. Standish to Sandwich by the Court "to set forth bounds of lands granted by Bradford after the Indian titles were cleared."[3]

One of their children was Joseph[2], who was born at Plymouth after 22 May 1627 and died at Bridgwater, MA, 8 February 1696-7. He married MARY SIMMONS who came over on the *Fortune* in 1621 and settled in Duxbury. MERCY,[3] third child of Joseph and MARY was born in 1658 and died in 1731. She married at Taunton, MA 26 June 1688, JOHN BURRILL.

The Burrill Family

JOHN[4] BURRILL married MARY HUMPHREY and had ABRAHAM[5] BURRILL, who was born 26 September 1721. He married JANE DYER.

Abraham[6] Burrill was born at Hingham, MA. 20 Aug. 1750 and died 21 August 1822. He married 23 September 1773, HANNAH CUSHING. She was born 10 November 1753 and died 23 December 1822, same year as her husband died. He later removed to Canaan, ME. Their child, LUCY[7] BURRILL, married NATHAN DEXTER. This family is now found in China, ME where Abraham assisted in the survey of Jones Plantation. He built his log cabin near the shore of the lake in the area now called China.[4]

LUCY[7] BURRILL, third of 15 children of ABRAHAM and HANNAH (CUSHING) BURRILL, was born 18 April 1777 married NATHAN DEXTER. Their fourth child was LUCY BURRILL DEXTER, born 16 April 1805 and married ISAAC HALL WARD.

The progenitor of the Burrill family was GEORGE BURRILL who was born at Boston, England about 1591. He married aged 35 at Boston, England, MARY COOPER of Appleby. George received a grant of 200 acres at Lynn, MA in 1638. Three children are known to have been born to them: FRANCIS, GEORGE and JOHN. The family was known as "The Royal Family of Lynn." Both George and his wife died at Lynn in 1653.[5]

The Dexter Family

THOMAS[1] DEXTER, SR. came over to the colonies in 1629-30. A man of good education and with much energy. He was public spirited, independent and fearless in his expression and thinking. These traits caused many difficulties with his neighbors resulting in many expensive law suits. He settled on an 800-acre farm at Lynn, MA with his family and many servants. His house was located on the west side of Saugus River. There "Farmer Dexter" built a mill and a bridge across the river.

Thomas Dexter, Sr. was admitted freeman of the Massachusetts Colony 18 May 1631, but was disenfranchised 4 March 1633. In 1637 he received a grant from the township of Sandwich from Plymouth Colony where he built the first mill in that township. It appears Thomas remained at Sandwich a very short time since he owned 350 acres at Lynn the following year. He is found at Barnstable from 1651 to about 1675 where he purchased two farms. One being located south east of Blossom Farm and another northeast of Scorton Hill. He was a juryman at Barnstable and a member of the Puritan Church. Here he had many expensive lawsuits.

WILLIAM[2] DEXTER was born in England and came to the colonies with his father. He is found at Barnstable in 1650 but removed to Rochester, MA about 1679 where he died in 1694. William owned considerable land at Rochester and Barnstable.

William's seventh child was BENJAMIN[3] who was born in February 1670 and died in 1732 aged 62. He married SARAH ARNOLD, a daughter of Rev. SAMUEL ARNOLD, a grantee in Rochester and its second minister. CONSTANT[4], the sixth child of Benjamin and Sarah, was born 27 November 1706 and died in 1756. He married 1731, MARIBAH DELANO (DILLOWAY). They had nine children born at Rochester.

STEPHEN[5] DEXTER was born 30 January 1747 and married_____. Rev. STEPHEN DEXTER was listed as minister from 1806 to 1817 and 1818 to 1820 in the China Baptist Church's centennial celebration 23 May 1901 and sesquicentennial 3-5 May 1951 as having served as a minister of the church.[6] Stephen Dexter's son. NATHAN[6], was born 22 August 1772 and married LUCY[7] BURRILL. Nathan was listed as No. 8, a Yeoman, in Hancock County sold for $25 "a pew in the Baptist Meeting house in China...Said pew is situated on the lower floor and is numbered Nine."[7] Nathan died 8 January 1852 at Dedham, ME. Family lore says that the Dexter family walked with a covered wagon to Dedham from China on a three-day trip.[8]

Notes to Appendix J

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APPENDIX K

The Hanscom Family

MARIA(H) ANN HANSCOM married ISAAC[6] WARD 19 August 1856 at Orono, ME. She was the daughter of JOHN and NANCY (HUBBARD) HANSCOM who were living at Orono at this time. The Hanscom family has been traced to the progenitor, THOMAS[1] HANSCOM who came from England in 1623, and found at Salem, MA in 1629. The family was long of the parish Shillington. There Thomas was baptized 10 September 1598 died in 1695. He was living at Kittery, ME as early as 1649/50. He married (1st) in 1664, ANN DOWNING, born in 1646. The Honorable David H. Souter, U.S.Supreme Court Justice appointed in 1990, is an 11th descendant of Thomas and Ann Hanscom.[1] Ann married (2nd) JAMES TOBEY.

JOB[2] HANSCOM (Thomas[1]), one of 7 children, was born in 1679, died in 1779 and married in 1705, MARY GOWELL, daughter of RICHARD GOWELL. He was a weaver and removed to Saco/ Biddeford, ME. They had seven children including AARON[3], born in 1706, died in 1779 and URIAH, born at Kittery about 1719, died before October 1778, int. to marry 7 July 1744, MARY HEARL, daughter of JOHN and MARY (BEARD) HEARL of Berwick.

URIAH[3] HANSCOM was a soldier at Ft. Louisburg, Nova Scotia in September 1745 as was his brother, Zimri, who died there. Uriah lived at Kittery following his service where he was on the tax list in 1752 and 1760. He was a soldier again in 1758 in the French and Indian Wars where he served as a private in Col. Jedediah Preble's regiment being discharged 10 October 1758.

Criminal charges were brought by URIAH against JOSEPH BREWSTER, JR., of Portsmouth, NH for physically assaulting his oldest son, ZIMRI. His widow, Mary, and oldest son, JOHN, were both named in the Last Will and Testament of URIAH'S oldest brother, AARON.

Children of Uriah and Mary (Hearl), surname Hanscom:

i. ZIMRI[4] (Uriah[3], Job[2], Thomas[1]) b. at Ft. Louisburg, Nova Scotia, ca. Sept. 1845. Assaulted by Joseph Brewster, Jr. Poss. married and res. at Scarborough or Gorham. Ch. SILAS, b. 1767/68, d. 1848; AARON, b. ca. 1774, d. 1853.

ii. URIAH, b. ca. 1747, d. at Eliot, ME, 18 July 1825. Rev. War soldier. Res. at Madbury, NH then at Kittery. He m. (1st) in 1770, MERIBAH LEATHERS; m. (2nd) 21 Aug. 1789, ANNA BARNES. Eight ch. by Anna.

iii. PELETIAH, b. ca. 1749, d. at Rochester, NH prior to 1800; m. 12 Jan. 1775, SUSANNAH COLE, d. 1833. Rev. War soldier. Res. at Portsmouth, NH, Kittery, ME and Rochester. 6 Ch.

iv. EBENEZER, b. ca.1750/51, d. at Eliot, ME ca. 1805; m. ca. 1776, SARAH LEWIS. He was a Rev. War soldier, res. at Portsmouth, NH, then at Kittery. 13 Ch. incl. URIAH[5], b.1782, who m. 1st cousin MEHITABLE[5].

v. ELIZABETH, b. ca. 1753, bp. as adult 2 Oct. 1771.

1. vi. GIDEON, b. 1756, d. at Lyman, ME, 17 May 1825; m. Scarborough, ME, 3 Feb. 1780, MEHITABLE LASSELL, b. 1757, d. at Kennbunkport, ME, 27 July 1847. She was dau. of JOSHUA and ELIZABETH (BROWN) LASSELL, of Arndale, ME. Res. at Scarborough and Wells, ME, settled at Lyman, ME. Children of Gideon and Mehitable (Lassell), surname Hanscom:

1. ELIZABETH[5], b. ca. 1782; m. 31 May 1800, THOMAS MADDOX, of Lyman, ME.
2. GIDEON, Jr., b. 12 Aug. 1787, d. at Kennebunkport, ME 27 April 1864; m. (1st) 9 May 1813, MIRIAN DAY, of Lyman; m. (2nd) 23 Sept. 1841, Mrs. LOIS ANDREWS, of Lyman.

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3. MEHITABLE, b. 1789; m. 9 March 1809 her 1st cousin, URIAH[5] HANSCOM, son of EBENEZER and SARAH (LEWIS) HANSCOM, of Kittery.
4. ELIAS LASSELL, b. ca. 1793, d. at Topsfield, ME, 5 Nov. 1864; m. (1st) 20 Jan. 1822, ELIZABETH KEENAN, of Litchfield, ME; m. (2nd) TEMPERANCE SCOTT, of Calais, ME. (9 Ch. by 2nd wife).
5. SON, b. ca. 1796; living in 1800, d. prior to 1810.
6. LYDIA M., b. Jan. 1801, d. unm. at Kennebunkport, 6 May 1892.
7. AARON, b. ca. 1759/60, d. at Stafford, NH, 4 Nov. 1826; m. at Barnstead, 10 March 1785, LYDIA WILEY, b. 1766, d. 1849. 8 ch. A Rev. War soldier. Res. at Madbury and Barnstead, NH, then at Stafford, NH.

1. GIDEON[4] HANSCOM was born at Kittery, ME in 1756. Shortly following his marriage to MEHITABLE LASSELL, he and his wife removed to Wells, ME and lived there two to three years, then settled at Lyman, ME. He was a ship carpenter and went to Scarborough, ME as a young man enlisting there 1 January 1776 as a soldier in the Revolutionary War. He re-enlisted 2 November 1777 as a corporal and later lieutenant in Col. Cobb's Co. He left the service 5 December 1779 and died at Lyman 17 May 1825. In later years, the War Department in 1779 denied his wife's claim for pension saying he "deserted" in December 1779. His wife, Mehitable angrily responded that her husband had been given permission to return home because of a severely fractured leg in the service. Eventually, the pension was reinstated.

2. MEHITABLE[5] HANSCOM, born at Lyman about 1789 and was living there in 1860, according to census records. She married her first cousin URIAH[5] HANSCOM , son of Ebenezer and Sarah (Lewis) Hanscom. He was born at Kittery in 1782 and died at Dedham, age 79, 25 March 1862 at the home of one of his sons, Joseph.

Uriah and Mehitable resided at Lyman for the most of their married lives. Uriah went there as a young man where his father's brother, Gideon Hanscom (1756-1825) had settled in the 1780's. Uriah farmed there for many years and

was a "surveor of highways" in April 1844. They separated in the late 1840's following nearly 40 years of married life. She remained in Lyman while he removed to Orono and lived with his son, John.

Uriah enlisted at Portsmouth, NH in 1799 and served as an ordinary seaman on the U.S. Ship *Portsmouth* which was commanded by Daniel McNeil. The ship engaged with a French Corvett in the West Indies, which it captured. He was severely wounded in the left thigh for which he was placed on the Navy pension list in 1802 at $6 per month dating from 16 October 1799.[2]

Uriah and Mehitable (Hanscom) Hanscom were parents of the following children, as listed in census and other records.

i. Son, b. ca. 1811, was living in 1830.

3. ii. JOHN[4], b. 1814, d. 1863; m. 1863 NANCY HUBBARD whom he later div. (See below, anc. of Isaac Ward).

iii. SARAH ANN, b. 1817; m. at Roxbury, MA, in 1842 IVOR MC DANIEL, b. 1817, a seaman. Res. at Lyman, Hollis Center, ME and Odell, Ill.

iv. LYDIA, b.1820 at Lyman, d. of typhoid fever at Biddeford, ME Dec. 1849, ae. 29; m. HADDEUS A. HARRINGTON, int. 3 Dec. 1846. One son: GEORGE WARREN HANSCOM (KNOX), b. 1841, d.1886, of Alfred, ME. In 1841, she brought a paternity action against Supply Goodwin Knox of Biddeford, the father of her out-of-wed-lock son.

v. ELIAS LASSELL, b. 25 July 1821, d. at Harrison, ME, 30 June 1906, ae. 84; m. at Biddeford, ME, 17 Feb. 1850, LAVINIA K. EMERSON, b. 1826, d. 1887. Civil War soldier 1862-63. Res. at Biddeford, Kennebunkport and Harrison, ME. 2 Ch. SILAS E. HANSCOM, b. 1856, d. 1856; RACHEL B., adopt. b. 1870.

vi. JOSEPH EARL, b. 24 Dec. 1823, at Lyman; d. 27 Jan. 1890 at Brewer, ME. aged 66; m. at Winslow, ME 4 July 1850, SARAH JANE PILLSBURY, b. 1828, d. 1906. Res. at Brewer, 2 Ch. ANNA AMANDA HANSCOM, b. 1851, d.1857 and GEORGE W. HANSCOM, b. 1854, d.1862.

vii. LUTHER L. HANSCOM, b. at Lyman, ME, March 1826, d. at Lyman, 5 Nov. 1908 at Lyman, ae. 82; m. at Alfred, ME, BELINDA A. BUZZELL, 1 Jan. 1867, b. 1835, d. 1908. One dau. OLIVE (HANSCOM) TOWNSEND, b. 1868, d. 1951.

viii. THOMAS, b. at Lyman, 1828, d. at Waterboro, ME. 7 Nov. 1897 ae. 69; m. LUCINDA HENDERSON, b. 1835, d. 1899. Res. at Waterboro, ME.

ix. OLIVIA B., b. at Lyman, ca. 1832; m. THOMAS A. PAGE, b.1832. She suffered from "softening of the brain" in 1880. 2 Ch. LUTHER HANSCOM, b. 1855, d.1863 and ADA A. b.1858.

3. JOHN[6] HANSCOM was born at Lyman, ME in 1814, the 2nd son of URIAH HANSCOM. John is believed to have settled in the Bangor-Brewer area in the 1830's with his first cousin, THOMAS CALL HANSCOM. John was residing at Orono as early as 1835. John Hanscom and Nancy Hubbard, both of Orono, 2 May 1835, declared their intentions of marriage and were married there 31 May 1835. Nancy was born in 1818 and was the daughter of

DANIEL and FRANCES (DAY) HUBBARD of Shapleigh, ME. The 1850 U.S.Census lists John Hanscom in Orono with the occupation as "Raftsman."[3]

They were divorced 15 November 1859 by judgment of the Supreme Judicial Court of Bangor. She was awarded $200.00 in alimony and custody of her minor children.[5] The 1860 U.S. Census of Orono lists them still living together, however, and they appeared to be operating a boarding house there. Living with them were four of their children - ELLEN, 19; WILLIAM, 16; GEORGE, 11 and MARY E., 8. His net worth listed in the census was $400.00 in real estate and $325.00 in personal property. Nancy married (2nd),1 December 1865, URIAL R. PENNY, a wheelwright of Orono, ME who was 19 years her junior. John Hanscom enlisted in Co. 6, 7th Regiment of Maine Volunteers in Augusta, ME in August 1861 and died while on duty[3] at City Hospital in Portland, ME 5, January 1863[3] of chronic diarrhea .

Children of John and Nancy (Hubbard), all born at Orono, ME. surname Hanscom:

i. JANE MEHITABLE[5], b. 1836; m. at Orono, 29 Sept.1856, JAMES DURGIN.

ii. CAROLINE P., b. 5 Feb. 1838.

iii. ELLEN E., b. 13 July 1840, prob. the ELLEN E. HANSCOM "of Saco, ME" who m. at Biddeford 11 Feb. 1861, GEORGE F. CROWELL.

iv. FRANCES MARIAH ANN, b. 8 June 1842 at Orono, ME. (VR Orono, ME Book 1839-1866, p. 367); m. ISAAC[6] WARD, (VR, Orono, ME Book 1839-1866, p. 273), by Clergyman S. L.Bowler., d. at Warren, MA 7 Jan. 1910. anc. of the author. (See family of Isaac Ward).

4. v. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, b. 15 April 1844, d. at Waupen, WI, 28 March 1898; m. at Oshkosh (Winnebago Co.), WI, 19 Aug. 1871,JULIA ETTA WARREN dau. of JOHN and MARY WARREN, div. in 1891. Ch. CLARA D. b. 15 July 1882. (Pension Rec. See below).

vi. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 28 March 1849. Enl. in Civil War aged 16, d. sickness 28 April 1865.

vii. MARY EMMA, b. 31 May 1852; int. to m. G.W.DAVIS, of Orono filed 29 Nov. 1869, cert. of marriage issued 1 Dec. 1869. However, "Emma Hanscom"; m. at Medford, MA 22 April 1874, ALBERT L. SPRAGUE, b. 1851, a Mason of Bedford. Cert. states "the first marriage" for each.

4. WILLIAM[6] HARRISON HANSCOM, son of John and Nancy (Hubbard) Hanscom, a millman, enlisted as a private in 1862 in The Maine Regiment Co. I of the 28th Maine Volunteer Infantry being discharged in 1863 and re-enlisted in Co. E. of the Maine 16th and mustered out of that unit in 1865.

This Regiment left Maine for Washington, D.C. 26 October, 1862 and stopped in New York for duty at Fort Schuler and East New York until 17 January, 1863. It then moved to Fortress Monroe, VA 17-22 January and then to New Orleans, LA. His company was one of six sent to the siege of Port Hudson and assault of the Port 14 June 1863.

William Hanscom stated in his claim for pension that he injured his back while building a batter at Port Hudson and was sent to the Batton Rouge

hospital for two months. He was then sent home and discharged. He got better after treatment by Dr. Fisher at Orono.

William reenlisted 5 September 1864 in Company E of the Maine 16th and mustered out of that unit being discharged 5 June 1865. This regiment had seen heavy fighting prior to William Hanscom's entering the unit, including the Battle of Fredericksburg, the "Mud March", Battle of Gettysburg, and at the Battle of Cold Harbor, VA. It is probable that Harrison was with the unit in its reconnaissance toward Dinwiddie Court House, VA, the fall of Petersburg, VA and the surrender of Gen. Lee at Appomattox.

After 3 months with the 16th Maine Infantry William was troubled again with diaharria and back trouble. This time he was sent to Emery Hospital in "Washington City." He was sent home and discharged after four months in the hospital and treated again for 15 months by Dr.Fisher. He never fully recovered from this illness.[6]

William Hanscom removed to Oshkosh, WI where he married in 1711, JULIA ETTA WARREN, born 13 July 1882. They separated in 1883, later divorced. They had one child, CLARA HANSCOM, born in 1882. William Hanscom was lumberman and speculator.

In 1883, he was accused of being an accomplice to a murder at Waupaca, WI. Having testified on behalf of the state, he was exonerated. He then abandoned his family and removed to Ruby (Okanosan Co.), WA. The case was still unsolved in 1890 when William was extradited on perjury charges, convicted and imprisoned. He won his appeal to this conviction to the Wisconsin Supreme Court.

William died in 1898 and is buried in the Riverside Cemetery in Oshkosh, next to his son-in-law, NICHOLAS BOUCHETTE, and his father-in-law JOHN G. WARREN and his mother-in-law MARY WHITNEY RHODES, Mary having re-married a Rhodes after the death of her husband. MIKE BOUCHETTE, residing at Appleton, WI in 1991 is a descendent of William and Julia (Warren) Hanscom.

Notes to Appendix K

1. Robert Hanscom, Reading, MA: *The Hanscom Family Newsletter* #33 Summer 1994.
2. Bounty Land records (1782-1862) dtd. 19 Sept. 1855 at Dedham, ME;, Aff. dtd. 19 Sept. 1855, Statement signed by I. Johnson Smith, Exam Clerk Navy Desk Pension Office, dtd. 21 Nov. 1856; aff. dtd. 31 July 1855 by Joseph Hanscom and John R. Pearl, of Dedham, ME, Pension Office memo dtd. 10 Dec. 1856 to Bounty Land Branch 21 Nov. 1856, claim records #203691, United States Navy, War with France, Ntl. Arch., photocopies furnished by Robert Hanscom, Cambridge, MA.
3. U.S.1850 Census, Orono, ME listed John Hanscom's occupation as raftsman.
U.S.1860 Census, Orono, listed family res. together with their children.Surgeon Generals' aff. recorded that he died "on or about 2 Jan. 1863." Following John Hanscom's death, Nancy applied for pension for her minor children ae. under 16, being George W. Hanscom

and Mary E. Hanscom. In the Cert. #41692, dtd. 25 Feb. 1865, they were awarded $8 per month pension from 5 Jan.1863 and ending 30 May 1868. Affi. also showed that John did not remarry after the div.

4. Ibid.

5. Civil War Pension records for John Hanscom, aff. 7 Sept. 1864 by town clerk P.G.Colburn, Supreme Judicial Court Penobscot Co., ME, Oct. term 1859, divorce of John and Nancy Hanscom, aff. of Mary C. Mansfield, Ann Buckle and Sophia H. George, dtd. 3 July 1865, they having lived near the Hanscoms for 20 years and swore to minor children; Minor Children's Application for Army Pension dtd. 25 May 1863; aff. by S. Israel Washburn, Justice of Peace, dtd. 7 March 1864 that John and Nancy were married, Certificate #41692, book B, vol. 2 pg. 173 dtd. 25 Feb. 1865; Awarding Pension to the Minors Brief in the Case of Minor Children dtd. 21 Feb. 1865 by power of atty., George F. Emery. Adj. Gen. Report shows muster of Hanscom 21 Aug. 1861, death 5 Jan. 1863, Surgeon Gen. aff. shows Hanscom died of chronic diarrhea on or about 2 Jan. 1863, Civil War, U.S. Army, N. A.

6. Frederick H. Dyer, *A Compendium of the War of the Rebellion*, pp. 1225, 1227 for infantry activities.

Pension records for William Harrison Hanscom: Gen. Aff.in Claim for Pension, Declaration for Pension Child under 16 Years Under Act of June 27, 1890, Pension Certificate # 34264, Aff. of Henry Warren "next friend" of Clara D. Hanscom sworn 4 Apr. 1898; Declaration for Old Minor's Pension dtd. 2 July 1898 stating that "child has not aided or abetted the rebellion" by Henry Warren; Oshkosh (Winnebago Co.), WI, Declaration for Invalid Pension, made at Ruby, Washington stating he "left my wife in 1883. She got a divorce I think in 1891 and married again that is ole wife I ever had and I shall not try again"; U.S.Pension Agency Certificate #34,264 dtd. 26 Aug.1898, stating payment of $6.00 to 6 March, 1898 in Waumpum, WI, U.S. Pension Agency Cert.#480488 dtd. 28 July 1899 stating Clara paid $8.00 and 2 additional to 12 July 1898 dropped because of age limitation; Aff.dtd. 28 Nov. 1865 at Orono, ME, that William "Worked as a blacksmith" and "had done little labor" of any kind, U.S.Pension records, Civil War, N. A. Photocopies of pension records furnished by Robert Hanscom. (Reading, MA).

See Hugh McLellan *History of Gorham*, pp. 548-550 for descendants of GEORGE HANSCOM who rem. to Gorham, from Scarborough ca. 1760, purchased 30-acre lot from John Williams, m. ABIGAIL FOGG.

APPENDIX L

Prominent Ward Families To Whom No Connection as Yet Has Been Made to the George and Rebecca (Newcomb) Ward Family

"Ward, one of the noble captains" was one of 710 noble persons accompanying WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR from Normandy to the conquest of England in 1066. Later, WILLIAM DE LA WARD appears living in Chester in 1175.

This appendix attempts to summarize existing records in an effort to ferret any clues that may reveal the progenitor of the George Ward family as well as familiarize the reader with brief statements of some of the early well-known Wards and their descendants. Early marriage and death records of Marblehead, first settlers of the Colony, passenger lists, Boston records and some early births of George Wards in England are briefly covered in this appendix.

WILLIAM WARD of Sudbury, was born in Yorkshire, England in 1603. He emigrated to Sudbury, MA in 1639 and removed to Marlboro, MA in 1660 where he died in 1678.[1]

William Ward and twelve others from Sudbury, partitioned the General Court in 1656 for a new plantation 8 miles square. That partition was granted reduced to 6 miles square and became what is now Marlborough, Westborough, Northborough and Southborough. Marlborough became incorporated in 1660 at which time William Ward removed to Marlborough. He was chosen deacon of the church when it was first organized about 1686. His house was built on a fifty-acre lot not far from Gates Academy. He along with others suffered great losses from the Indian hostilities, especially during King Phillip's war in 1675-6 when his buildings were burned, cattle destroyed and one of his sons killed. William died on 10 August 1687.

William and Elizabeth Ward were great, great grandparents of GEN. ARTEMUS WARD, first commander-in-chief of the American Revolution. William was freeman in 1643, representative in 1644.

Some descendants of note from this family: JOSEPH WARD, a founder of South Dakota and first president of Yankton College; NAHAM WARD, a settler of Marietta, Ohio and large landowner; ANDRE H. WARD, compiler of Ward Family, 1851; ARTEMUS WARD, noted lawyer and judge, and son of Gen. Artemus Ward.[2]

1. NAHUM WARD (3rd generation), born at Malborough, 6/18 December 1684, died at Shrewsbury, MA___May 1754; married MARTHA HOW, born 13 July 1687 and died at Malborough 1 July 1755. He was a sailor, Boston merchant, town founder, real estate operator, militia officer, lawyer and judge. He was master of a vessel in the West Indies service when in his 20's. He was admitted as selectman at Boston in 1714 and one of 44

granted right to establish Shrewsbury. He was elected moderator there (mayor), justice of the peace and judge of Court of Common Pleas.

2. ARTEMUS WARD (4th generation), son of Nahum, was born at Shrewsbury, 26 Nov. 1727 and died there 28 October 1800, He married at Groton, MA, July 1750, SARAH THROWBRIDGE who was born at Groton 3 Dec. 1724 and died 13 Dec 1766, he was a great, great grandson of William Ward. He graduated from Harvard in 1746 and was a representative in the General Court in 1757. At the age of 47 he assumed chief command of forces around Boston (actually without formal authority) where there was laxity, disorder and restlessness of the men around camps. The soldiers had left their farms and families hurriedly. Ward was thought to have been over lenient. Gen. Washington used him in a command when he took command 20 March 1777 although the two generals never liked each other.

3. JONATHAN WARD (5th generation) was born 13 February 1727, died at Southborough, MA, 7 July 1791. He married at Southborough 13 Oct. 1773, SUSANNAH STONE. In 1772, he was made captain of Southborough Company of Artemus Ward's regiment of Worcester and Middlesex County Militia. Jonathan was a colonel at the outbreak of the revolution and was a colonel at Bunker Hill. A horseman, Dr. Benjamin Church, told him "that orders had been sent that no more troops should go into action." That order was defied and Church was later convicted of treason. Jonathan commanded the 32nd regiment, and in 1787 of the 21st regiment in the Continental Army.

4. ARTEMUS WARD (5th generation). was born at Shrewsbury, 9 Jan. 1762 and died at Boston. He married at Boston 18 Dec. 1788, CATHERINE MARIA DEXTER, born at Boston and died there 11 March 1818. She was daughter of Hon. SAMUEL and HANNAH DEXTER. Artemus was a Harvard graduate and a lawyer, judge, statesman. He was secretary of war in John Adam's cabinet. He was in U. S. Congress and Massachusetts legislature. In 1819, he was judge of the Boston Court of Common Pleas. He amassed a considerable fortune, i.e. $200,000.

5. ANDREW HENSHAW WARD born at Shrewsbury, 26 May 1784 and died at Newton MA, 18 Feb 1864. He married in 1809, SARAH HENSHAW who was born 16 April 1787 and died 8 Oct. 1863. Andrew was a Harvard Graduate and entered custom service at Boston in 1829. He was justice of the peace at Worcester, Suffolk and Middlesex counties, and one of the first members of the New England Historic and Genealogical Society and a contributor to the Register.

6. NAHUM WARD, was born at Shrewsbury 23 Oct. 1785 and died at Marietta, OH 6 April 1860. He married (1st) SARAH SKINNER and married (2nd) 4 Jan. 1848 a cousin, HARRIET DENNY. They removed to Marietta in wilderness and massed a large fortune of over 100,000 acres in "Ohio Co". He had 131 tenants and colonized Scotch immigrants. The Unitarian Church of Marietta was his personal gift and dedicated to him.

7. HENRY DANA WARD, was born at Shrewsbury 13 Jan, 1797 and died at Philadelphia 29 Feb 1884. He married (1st) ABIGAIL JONES, (2nd) at Fairfax Co, VA 26 May 1842, CHARLOTTE GALBRAITH who was born at Dublin, Ireland in 1807. She died in 1887. He was a Harvard graduate in 1819. He was ordained an Episcopal minister and had a small parish in Charleston, W VA where he met his second wife. They removed to New York City where he opened a school for girls. They retired and removed to Philadelphia where he published *The Gospel of the Kingdom, The Faith of Abraham,* and *The History of the Cross.* He retired on modest means.

8. JAMES OTIS WARD, (7th generation) was born at Roxbury, MA, 13 July 1803, and died in New York City 1 Feb. 1885. He married (1st) MARTHA DAME and (2nd) in 1837, HANNAH ELIZA GOULD born in 1705 and died in NYC 1838. He married (3rd) 2 Oct. 1839 HANNAH FAIRBANKS. He went to New York City to sell produce of his father's Roxbury farm. He became owner of a prosperous ship-supply and chandlery business, and

had interest in several sailing vessels and several packets to Cuba and West Indian ports. The "Ward Line to Cuba" and "Cuban Mail U. S. Line" were among his interests.

9. WILLIAM HAYES WARD was born at Abington, MA, 25 June 1838 and died at S. Berwick ME, 28 Aug 1916. He married at Sudbury, MA, ELLEN MARIA DICKINSON. He graduated from Amherst College in 1858 with a B.S. degree and studied at Union Theological Seminary 1856-57. He taught at Beloit College and was ordained to preach at Oskaloosa, IA. He instructed in natural science at Utica, NY. In 1870 he was made superintending editor of "The Independent" and in 1896 was appointed New Editor-in-Chief. A distinguished Assyriologist, he directed the Wolf expedition to Babylonia in 1884-5. He was also an authority in Oriental paleology. He was well-versed in the Hebrew language.

10. H. WARD, born at Cincinnati 8 Feb. 1861 and died at York City 18 Feb. 1915. He graduated from MIT. He was one of the staff engineers selected by Thomas A. Edison to introduce the Edison central station system. At age 26 he was made general superintendent of Western Electric Light Co., of Chicago. In 1896, he organized and was president of Ward Leonard Electric Co., of Hoboken. He patented more than 100 inventions, including electrical-driven reversible rolling mills, electric mine hoists, locomotives, elevators, rheostats, automatic switches and electric heaters.

11. ARTEMUS WARD, born in New York City 20 May 1848 and married in Philadelphia 3 Dec. 1878, REBECCA DUNWOODY ROBINSON. He was the author of The William Ward Genealogy. He entered the Cuban import-export business at Philadelphia. He founded and published the "Philadelphia Grocer." Enoch Morgan Sons Co. offered him position of advertising manager of "Sapolio." He was now known in the advertising and business worlds. This led to acquisitions of chewing gum and chocolate business necessary to meet requirements for station stands and slot machines. He retired with about 5,000 acres of land which led to the dairying business with about 300 fine milk cows.

12. JOSEPH WARD, born at Perry Center New York, 5 May 1838 and died at Yankton, SD 11 December 1889. He married SARAH WOOD. Graduated from Brown University in 1865 and Andover Theological Seminary in 1868. Served at a missionary post of Pioneer Congregational Church in Dakota Territory. Founded and was president of Yankton College at Yankton SD. A founder of State of South Dakota to secure statehood. Author of "Under God the People Rule."

13. CHARLES HEZEKIAH WARD (8th generation) was born at Montpelier, VT 24 Feb. 1848 and married EMMA CHUBB who was born at Corinth, VT in 1850. They removed to Orange Park, Clay Co., Florida when his wife's health was failing. There he essayed orange groves. Later they removed farther south to Winter Park, FL where he developed an orange grove. Following the big freeze in 1894-5 when his trees were killed, he reinstated more groves. He was a deacon at the Winter Park Congregational Church.

14. CHARLES ARTEMAS WARD (6th generation), was born at Tome, Chile 14 March 1875 and married in 1909 EMMA GONZALEZ, of Chile. He was in the Chilean Navy since age 14. He became Rear Admiral in 1924 in charge of Talcahuano Naval Station following his command of several battleships.

ANDREW WARD, Watertown, freeman 1634, accompanied the first settlers to Connecticut was elected a magistrate in 1636. He may be the same who was early in Springfield. No one had a right to vote unless he was a freeman and must be a church member to become a freeman. The Congregational Church's affairs were handled by its members. The officers seemed to have taken active leadership in both civil and ecclesiastical affairs.

He removed to Wethersfield along with a handful of others from Watertown and was considered one of the foremost men of the colony. Under the leadership of Sir Richard Saltonstall and spiritual care of the Rev. George Phillips, a church was organized in June 1630. Andrew Ward seemed to have a love for town building. He was an organizer, possessed personal magnetism and was a leader in each town he lived in. He removed to Stanfield and then to Fairfield, CT before his death in 1659.[3] It is believed that Andrew Ward came over to New England as a young man and one of the voyagers with him being John Winthrop, Jr. who later became governor of Massachusetts. His lands were on 10 acres at Watertown.

Descendants of Andrew Ward:

1. STEPHEN BURROUGHS (4th generation). First extensive landowner at Stratford and Cornwall, CT. Purchased 30,000 acres with 50 others (a whole township). Stephen Burrous, 2nd, was a merchant ship builder, ship owner, a navigator and expert in math.
2. Col. AARON BURR (5th generation). Had a brilliant record with Benedict Arnold expedition to Quebec. He defeated British at Hackensack. He tied with Thomas Jefferson in the 1800 election for president and served as Jefferson's Vice President. Later was defeated for governor of New York.
3. Capt. JAMES HARMON WARD (7th generation), of Connecticut was born 25 Sept. 1806. He was the first union naval officer killed in Civil War. He was in charge of the Potomac Flotilla, a naval fleet responsible for maintaining Union control over the Potomac River. He was killed by a sharpshooter's bullet from a Confederate gun battery while directing a landing party at Matthias Point on the river about 50 miles from Washington. He had stepped forward to take place of a fallen gunner. Fort Ward, in Alexandria, VA , is named for him. It was one of 48 forts, lunettes, redoubts and batteries (mounting 300 guns) surrounding an otherwise defenseless Washington. Commander Ward was one of the founders of the Naval Academy and wrote several naval tactical books which were used at the academy.
4. MAJ. GEN JOSEPH WHEELER (8th generation). He was born 10 September 1816. He was one of first officers in U. S. Army to resign and volunteer for Confederate Army. Commanded brigade at Shiloh. Led Cavalry in Confederate charge at Battle of Chickamauga in 1863. He was in over 800 skirmishes and commanded over 200 battles. After the war he studied and practiced law and participated in War with Spain.
5. REV. HENRY WARD BEECHER (8th generation). He was born 24 June 1813 and died in 1847. He held pastorates in Indianapolis in 1847, in Brooklyn and Plymouth Congregational Church while powerfully denouncing slavery. He was a pro-woman suffrage speaker.[4]
6. DAVID WARD (8th generation). born 15 Sept. 1822. Land and timber inspector in Michigan. He owned immense tracts of timber land and constructed standard gauge railroad 1,590 miles long through this land.

NATHANIEL WARD was born at Haverhill, England between 1578 and 1580, the son of Rev. JOHN and Mrs. SUSAN WARD. Nathaniel is found at Agawam, MA (later known as Ipswitch) in December 1634 where he was a minister of the ninth church formed in the Massachusetts Colony. He is best known for *The Simple Cobbler of Agawan in America*, which may be the first

fruits of American literature. In this work, he expressed religious toleration and liberty of conscience.

Nathaniel had practiced law and travelled to Holland and Switzerland. He had seen 20 Christian kings and princes and most of the reformed churches in Europe so his name was well-known abroad. He received his A.B. from The University of Cambridge in 1599-1600 and his A.M. in 1603.

His children were SAMUEL, NATHANIEL, JOHN, ABIGAIL and MARY. JOHN WARD, the first minister of Haverhill, was son of Rev. Nathaniel Ward of Ipswitch, was born possibly at Haverhill, England, 5 November 1606; came to New England as early as 1639. Admitted freeman 1643, settled Haverhill 1645, died there 27 December 1693.[5]

SAMUEL WARD[4] (Richard[3], Thomas[2], John[1]) was born at Newport, RI 27 May 1725, son of RICHARD WARD, a merchant of Newport and governor of the colony 1740 to 1743. Samuel's mother was MARY TILLINGHAST who came from a well-known Rhode Island family.

Samuel Ward was governor of Rhode Island for three terms, and chief justice of the Supreme Court for a year. He was governor during the Stamp Act period. He was noted especially for his service in the Continental Congress in 1774-76 and died before the adoption of the Declaration of Independence.

JOHN[1] WARD, the progenitor, was born at Glouster, England in 1619 and died at Newport, RI in April 1698. The name of his wife is uncertain. His son THOMAS[2] was born in England in 1641 and died at Newport 25 September 1689, and married (1st MARY___, m. (2nd) AMY BILLINGS, daughter of Samuel and Seaborn (TEW) Billings.

Children of Gov. Samuel and Anna (Ray) Ward were: CHARLES, born 1745; HANNAH, born 1749; ANNA, born 1750; CATHERINE, born 1752; MARY, born 1754; SAMUEL, born 1756; DEBORAH, born 1758. SIMON RAY, born 1762; JOHN, born 1762; RICHARD, born 1765; ELIZABETH, born 1765.[6]

THE REV. JOHN MAVERICK, was born in 1577 in County Devron, England and died in Boston, 3 February 1636-37 aged about 60. He was buried in the "Old Burying Ground" at Dorchester. His son, Moses, was born about 1610 and married Remember Allerton before 6 May 1635. Moses arrived at Marblehead with Isaac Allerton in 1631 and settled at Peach Point near Little Harbor. They engaged in the fishing business and had a number of employees. Moses took over all houses, fish stages on the point of island called Maverick's Island 6 May 1635. He was a member of First Church at Salem in 1638, active in church and town affairs and town clerk for 50 years. Abigail, born probably 12 January 1645 and died in 1674, was a child of Moses and Remember (Allerton) Maverick.

Remember, a young girl over 13 when she came over on the Mayflower with her father Isaac and Mary Allerton. Samuel Ward may have been an

ancestor of George Ward who removed to Wellfeet, but this remains to be proven. Isaac Allerton, his wife Mary Bartholomew (who returned to England and became a minister), Mary and Remember (whose daughter, Abigail, married Samuel Ward) are listed as family No. 43 who were Mayflower passengers from Leyden, Holland. Remember was one of seven daughters on the Mayflower and was listed as among the young people under twenty years old. She and Moses Maverick had seven children.[7]

SAMUEL WARD who was born 18 November 1638 and baptized at Hingham 18 November 1638. He removed to Marblehead and married Abigail Maverick. He was a major in the service. Possibly he was the Samuel Ward mentioned by Hohn (below) as being a freeman at Marblehead in 1665 and having died in Phip's expedition against Quebec in 1690. Their children were SAMUEL and six daughters ABIGAIL, REMEMBER, MERCY, MARY, MARTHA and ELIZABETH. Their son, Samuel was born probably at Marblehead/Charleston in 1663 and baptized in 1674. He married SARAH TUTTLE.[8]

ANN WARD was baptized 19 July 1685 and died 23 August 1985.[9]

Torrey lists Samuel Ward and Abigail Maverick at Salem/Charleston among dozens of other Ward marriages before 1700, but still failing to reveal a clue to the parents of George Ward living in the colonies.[10]

It appears that Raymond Ward, of Fairfax, VA and Arthur Reynolds of Naples, FL, among others are descended from Samuel and Abigail.

Wards Listed in the Directory of the Ancestral Heads of New England Families 1620-1700, by Frank R. Hohn

BENJAMIN WARD was a ship carpenter at Boston, MA, 1639; d.s.p. He owned one house and about an acre of land within Boston and owned part of the marsh adjoining his property. His lot is listed on map G 103, under Lots on the North side of Fort Hill, facing the cove. "Benian Ward hath liberte to wharfe after his own propreite." It was approved for him and others to build a highway from their land over the marsh to the bridge, and were allowed free passage until 8 pounds 6 shillings run out. He also paid a school tax.[11]

GEORGE WARD, signed the covenant at New Haven, CT in 1639. He removed to Branford, CT in 1646, died in 1653. LAWRENCE WARD, brother of George, resident of New Haven, removed to Branford 1646, later to Newark, NJ where he died in 1671. George and Lawrence were inhabitants of the parish of St. Stephen, Coleman Street and among those who "desired to begin life anew in the wilderness across the seas." With this group organized by JOHN DAVENPORT and was negotiating with the Connecticut River settlers regarding title to lands. This group chartered the *Hector* of London, a new vessel of about 250 tons, which arrived at Boston from London 26 June 1637.[12]

JOHN WARD, physician, lived at Boston 1652, then at Ipswich, MA. Will probated 1656; d.s.p.

JOHN WARD, son of widow JOYCE WARD, at Branford, finally removed to New Jersey.

CAPT. MILES W. WARD came from Erith, County of Kent, England to Salem, MA 1639. Descended from a Norman Knight who followed William the Conqueror in 1066, and from SIR SIMON who was a follower of PRINCE EDWARD on the Crusades to the Holy Land. Miles came to America at an early date. He was of county of Essex, probably Salem, freeman in 1641. He died about 1650. Miles Ward was known as a chairmaker in Salem. He lived on lots C 8, F 5, and JOHN WARD lived on lot F 4.[13]

SAMUEL WARD, cooper, born in England 1592, proprietor in Hingham, MA, 1636. d.s.p.
SAMUEL WARD, married in Branford, CT, 1658.
SAMUEL WARD, freeman at Marblehead, MA, 1665, had military title of major and died in Phip's expedition against Quebec, Canada, 1690.
THOMAS WARD, came to New England 1630, at Hampton, NH, 1639.[14]

Robert Warde - Kitchel

ROBERT WARDE[C] of Houghton, Parva, Northamptonshire, England - originally De La Varde, of Norman Descendant. Later De Warde, Le Warde, Warde and Ward, married Isabel Stapley, of Dunchurch, County Warwick, England.

JAMES WARDE[B], of Dunchurch, County Warewick, son of Robert and Isabel, married Anne or Alice Fawkes of Dunchurch.

STEPHEN WARDE[A], son of James and Anne (or Alice), married JOICE TRAFORD[1], of Leicestershire. After Stephen's death the widow moved with her children JOHN, MARY and other Wards to New England in 1630 and settled in 1635 in Wethersfield, CT.[15] She died in 1640, her will, nearly the first in the colony records names her children EDWARD, ANTHONY, WILLIAM, JOHN[2], and ROBERT.

JOHN[2] WARD, fourth son of Stephen, has been called Sergeant Ward, Lieutenant Ward and Mr. Ward, all signs of high regard and aristocracy. John settled at Branford, CT about 1648 and was with Robert and Samuel Kittrel at earliest settlement of Newark, NJ in 1666. John died in 1694.

Children of John and (2nd) Hannah, dau. of Jasper Crane and widow of Thomas Huntington Ward:

i. JONATHAN[3].
ii. JOHN, JR., b. at Branford, CT, 10 April 1650, d. 1694/5; m. (2nd) ABIGAIL[3] KITCHEL. He came to Newark, ae. 16, she was ae. 5.
Children of John[3] and Abigail[3] (Kitchel) Ward:
1. JOHN.
2. DAVID, b. 1686, d. 14 Dec. 1768; m. MARY BROWN.

Children of David and Mary (Brown) Ward:
(i). MOSES[5], b. 1728, d. 25 Sept. 1784; m. ELIZABETH WARD.
Children of Moses and Elizabeth (Ward) Ward:
(1). SARAH; m. (1st) MOSES BALDWIN; m. (2nd) SAYERS CRANE.
(2). STEPHEN. fell at Elizabethtown, Rev. War.

(3). JAMES[6], b. 17 Sept. 1764, d. 15 April 1846; m. LYDIA NESBITT.

Children of James and Lydia (Nesbitt) Ward:

(a). MARCUS LAWRENCE[7], b. 1812; m. SUSAN LONGWORTH MORRIS. He was gov.of NJ 1866-1869, then in gress. Ch. JOSEPH[8]; m. ALICE M. DEAN, Ch. EMMA[9]; ALICE[9]; ELIZABETH[8]; FRANCES; MARCUS I., Jr.; CATHERINE ALMIRA; NICHOLAS LONGWORTH; JOHN L.M.; FRANCIS BROWN.

(b). MARIA[7] LOUISA, b. 17 Nov. 1814; m. ZILBA H. KITCHEN.

(c). LYDIA LAVINIA, b. 23 Feb. 1821, d. 17 July 1858.

(d). SUSANNAH, b. March 1823, d. 28 March 1823.

(e). GILBERT BROWN, b. 28 April 1824, d. 20 Jan. 1829.

(f). FRANCIS, b. 18 Feb. 1839, d. 18 March 1839.

(4). MARY[6]; m. JOSEPH CASE.

(ii). DAVID; m. HANNAH FARAND.

(iii). EZEKIEL.

(iv). PHEBE; m. NATHANIEL CHANDLER.

3. JONATHAN[4].

4. MARY.

iii. NATHANIEL[3].

iv. HANNAH; m. JONATHAN BALDWIN.

v. SARAH; m. JABEZ ROGERS.

vi. PHEBE; m. JOHN COOPER.

vii. MARY; m. SAMUEL HARRISON.

viii. DORCAL; m. JOSEPH HARRISON.

ix. DEBORAH; m. ELIPHALET JOHNSON.[16]

GEORGE WARD, New Haven, CT, signed covenant in 1639, removed to BRANFORD in 1646, died 7 April 1653, leaving wife and children but children not named.[17] Ship's Carpenter (Savage, p. 407) George of Wethersfield, Stamford, Branford.[20]

Parents of GEORGE WARD, of Branford not identified.[18]

Son of George was JOHN, the Turner,[poss. lathe operator] came to Newark in the Branford Company in 1667. John m. SARAH_____.[19]

Children of John and Sarah (__) Ward:

i. SARAH, b. 1651; m._____TICHENOR.

ii. JOHN, b. 1654.

iii. SAMUEL, b. 1656.

iv. ABIGAIL, b. 1658; m. JOHN GARDNER.

v. JOSIAH, b. 1661; m. MARY KITCHEL. Ch . SAMUEL, m. JEMIMA, ch. BETHUEL; ISAAC, b. 1718, d. 17 54; DANIEL, m. MARY; ROBERT; JOSIAH; LAWRENCE, b. 1710, d. 1793, m. ELEANOR BALDWIN; SARAH. (Kitchel, p. 32).

vi. NATHANIEL; m. SARAH HARRISON.

vii. MARY; m. THOMAS DAVIS.

viii. CALEB, "The honest and pious". (Kitchel, p. 32).

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